

WEATHER FORECAST

For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Wednesday:
Victoria and vicinity—Moderate to
fresh southerly to westerly winds, part-
ly cloudy and cool, with showers.

Victoria Times

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Pantalone—Vaudeville.
Dominion—The Glorious Adventure.
Columbia—The Yosemite Trail.
Royal—Festive Art.
Capitol—The Town That Forgot God.

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PRICE FIVE CENTS

EARTHQUAKE IN PERSIA KILLED 1,000 PERSONS AND RUINED VILLAGES

Shocks In North Central Part of Country Lasted
Several Hours, Says Dispatch Which Came By Way
of Teheran.

Allahabad, Persia, May 29.—Advices to the newspaper Pioneer from Teheran state 1,000 persons were killed by an earthquake at Turbat-I-Haidari. The earth shocks covered a period of several hours. Many villages are said to have been devastated.

Turbat-I-Haidari is a small Persian town in Khorassan, a north central province which forms part of the great Iranian desert plateau.

HIGH BOND BIDS SHOW CONFIDENCE IN CITY FINANCE

Bond Companies Show Ap-
preciation of New "Pay-as-
You-Go" Policy

Experts Realize City's Cur-
rent Financing Is at Last
on Sound Basis

High prices received by the City Council last night for new city securities indicate that bond companies in Canada and the United States regard Victoria's financial position as excellent and absolutely stable. This is the opinion of City Council members and city officials who were delighted with the bond bids filed by leading dealers.

Bids for city bonds, all over 98 points, reflect the growing confidence of bond companies in the city's financial position. It was declared to-day, bond dealers recognize the fact that the City Council, in framing its annual budget, has got down to rock bottom for the first time in many years, and that, barring unforeseen contingencies, there will be no deficit at the end of this year. This was explained, has caused them to pay high prices for city bonds.

Buying city bonds at a price higher than 98, bond companies will have to sell these securities at about par, or the highest figure reached by city bonds for some time.

Understand Situation.
"The sale of these bonds is very satisfactory to the city," Alderman David Leeming, Chairman of the City Finance Committee, declared to-day. "It is satisfactory not only on account of the direct benefit we shall receive as a result of the high price but also because it reflects the increased confidence of financial institutions in the city's recent financial and present position. These prices show that the reforms effected by the Council this year are appreciated by the bond companies which, as a result, bid high for Victoria securities."

In announcing the flotation of new city loans to bond companies City Treasurer E. C. Smith, the city's present financial position, as a result of the reforms effected by the Council this year, is on a scientific basis and that all the year's needs are included in the annual budget. These explanations appeared to the bond companies which, as a result, bid high for Victoria securities.

MR. BRUCE WILL APPEAR IN COURT

Charged With Making Sedi-
tious Statements in Glace
Bay, N. S.

Is a Toronto Man; Surren-
dered to Magistrate

Sydney, N. S., May 29.—Malcolm Bruce, of Toronto, wanted here on charges of seditious utterances, surrendered yesterday at Glace Bay to Magistrate A. B. McGillivray, by whom the warrant for his arrest was issued some time ago. He was released on \$1,500 bonds and the preliminary hearing was set for Thursday.

The charge against Bruce is that at a meeting on May 5 he said he hoped to "see the day when the Union Jack would be trampled in the mud and the Red Flag flying in Canada as the standard of freedom for the workers."

YOUNG WOMAN IN TERMINAL CITY WAS FOUND DEAD

Vancouver, May 29.—The lifeless body of Lillian Marshall, twenty-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Marshall, 63rd Avenue, Point Grey, was found in the girl's bedroom by her mother yesterday afternoon upon the latter's return from Vancouver. A glass containing a small quantity of liquid was standing on the dresser and the girl's mouth was badly bitten, according to the police. An inquest will be held.

RESOLUTION SOON IN FRENCH CHAMBER ON TREATY TERMS

Paris, May 29.—The Government has come to an agreement with the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Chamber of Deputies regarding the text of the interpretative resolution to be introduced in the Chamber for the ratification of the treaties signed at the Washington Conference. The committee's report is expected to be ready shortly to be placed on the Order Paper.

GUESSING CONTESTS SUBJECT OF APPEAL

Stated Case Granted By
Magistrate Macdonald
in Winnipeg

Police Court Ruling Is That
Contests Are Illegal

Winnipeg, May 29.—Football guessing competitions were declared illegal by Magistrate Sir Hugh John Macdonald in city police court here to-day. Henry Hill, proprietor of "The Badge," a weekly publication, was convicted of being the keeper of a betting house in violation of the Criminal Code.

A stated case was allowed, however, and an appeal will be entered. The contents will be allowed to continue until the Appeal Court gives a decision.

Several other weekly papers conducting football contests in this city come under the judgment delivered to-day, but no action will be taken until "The Badge" appeal is disposed of.

LIFE IS LOST AND FLOOD DAMAGE DONE

Houses and Stores in Okla-
homa City Washed Away

Man Seeking Persons to
Rescue Was Drowned

Oklahoma City, Okla., May 29.—With damage from the over-
flow of the North Canadian River already running into hun-
dreds of thousands of dollars,
the crisis was expected to be
reached in Oklahoma City to-
day in the flood situation.

The two-foot rise reached up-
stream yesterday was expected
to arrive here during the day. Hun-
dreds of houses and stores in the
southern bottoms of the city had
been washed away or flooded in the
morning. More than 1,000 persons
are homeless.

One life is known to have been
lost. An unknown man gave his
life in rescue work late last night.

Garbed in a bathing suit, the man
swam out to a flooded house to make
sure that all the occupants had es-
caped. He was taken by a police-
man as he was caught in the cur-
rent and drawn beneath the walls of
the building.

EIGHTEEN KILLED BY MAN WITH AXE

Crimes in Birmingham, Ala-
bama, Extend Over
Two Years

Latest Victim Added to List
Last Night

Birmingham, Ala., May 29.—The
body of Charles Graffeo, the thirty-
fifth victim of Birmingham's mys-
terious axe murderer, was found be-
hind a counter in his store in an
outlying residential section last night.
The skull had been crushed by a
single blow with an axe.

Police records show that this was
the twenty-eighth similar attack
during the past two years, in which
eighteen persons have lost their
lives and seventeen been injured.

PRINCE OF WALES TAKES INTEREST IN NEEDY EX-SOLDIER

London, May 29.—(Canadian Press
Cable)—The Prince of Wales will be
given a ready-to-wear suit of clothes
when he visits Leeds on Friday in
connection with his tour of York-
shire industries.

When the Prince was at Rotherham
yesterday his attention was directed
toward an ex-private who, after having
been wounded in the York and Lan-
cashire Regiment, was discharged,
and who afterward enlisted in the
Highland Light Infantry and was
again wounded. For some unknown
reason his pension had been stopped
and the man now was in a work-
house.

"I want you a minute," cried the
Prince to Admiral Halsey, his
quarry. "Take this man's name and
see what you can do for him."
The Prince told the ex-private to
write to him at St. James' Palace.

A PRISONER OF CHINESE BANDITS



R. N. PINGER

is among the several United States
citizens held by the Suchoo brigands
in China, for whose release negotia-
tions are now in progress.

MANAGER TO RUN CIVIC BUSINESS COUNCIL'S PLAN

Scheme Is to Name Executive
Officials to Direct All
Departments

Smith Financial Head Hand-
ling All Money Matters

After the City Council had
pondered on the question all yester-
day afternoon and for more
than an hour last night it seemed
almost certain to-day that Vic-
toria's municipal administration
is to be re-organized and placed
under the direction of a business
manager who will supervise all
city departments.

The Council took no definite ac-
tion on the appointment of a suc-
cessor to the late J. L. Raymond, City
Controller, and Aldermen stated to-
day that the position of Controller,
as it has existed in the past, will be
scrapped altogether. Under present
plans City Treasurer E. C. Smith,
with an increased salary, will be the
financial head of the city but a new
official known as a controller or
manager will supervise all city de-
partments.

It is felt that the entire Council
will support the appointment of a
manager, but in order that all mem-
bers may think the subject over, no
decision was made last night. It is
planned to hold another meeting to
decide the question this week.

Promotion for Smith.
Aldermen who wish to see Mr.
Smith's ability and experience re-
cognized at first objected to the ap-
pointment of a manager but it has
been explained that the subject over
pointment would in no way reflect
upon the Treasurer. Mr. Smith would
be the city's financial head just as
Mr. Raymond was and could handle
all books and financial transactions.
The proposed manager would super-
vise all departments, including works,
waterworks, parks, city institutions,
legal matters, especially if swarm
insects, and fire protection.

It is not proposed to appoint what
is generally known as a city man-
ager for the Council has no power to
inaugurate such a system. The
Council would still govern the city
but would be aided by a responsible
adviser who would be familiar with
every phase of the city's business.

It is believed by Council members
that the services of a Victoria man
who could fill the position of man-
ager could be secured without much
difficulty.

The Council last night voted \$1,000
to the family of the late Mr. Ray-
mond in recognition of his long and
useful services to the city.

RAIN BENEFITS MANITOBA CROPS

Precipitation Welcomed By
Farmers in That Province

Winnipeg, May 29.—Farmers in all
sections of Manitoba welcomed heavy
rainfalls during the last twenty-
four hours. While moisture condi-
tions were very favorable in most
districts of the Province, the added
rainfall will be of great value to the
growing crops, especially if warm
weather prevails now. To-day is fine
and warm, with indications of fur-
ther rain to come.

Winnipeg vicinity reported an
inch and a half rain during the night,
while outlying districts reported half
an inch in many cases.

TO ADVERTISE YUKON.

Ottawa, May 29.—One and minerals
from the Yukon Territory, with data
and facts concerning the resources of
that area, will be exhibited in the
Canadian Building at the British
Empire Exhibition in England next
year.

Pension Bill Will Be Introduced in the Commons To-morrow

Ottawa, May 29.—Hon. H. S.
Boland, Minister of Soldiers' Civil
Re-establishment, has given notice
that he will introduce his bill to
amend the Pension Act on Wed-
nesday. The amendments are
those of which Dr. Bolland spoke
in the House a few days ago when
he announced that, following the
budget debate, he would introduce
amendments which would carry
out the changes in the Pension
Act recommended in the report of
the Ralston Royal Commission.

VETERANS WILL DISCUSS PENSIONS

Meeting To-night to Decide
Action to Be Launched
Against Board's Stand

A mass meeting of members of
ex-service organizations and of
other public bodies in this city,
will be held to-night in the Audi-
torium of the Chamber of Com-
merce, in the Arcade Building.
At this meeting the question of the
injustices of the Pensions Board,
in its following out of the require-
ments of the Pensions
Act, will be discussed.

The Veterans are very much con-
cerned about the manner in which
their many unfortunate comrades
have been treated by the Board.
They declare that they will take im-
mediate action. Unless the Govern-
ment takes the matter up to the sat-
isfaction of the returned men, the
many ex-service organizations
promise to do all that they are able
for the betterment of existing con-
ditions and in the best way they
know how.

The returned men of this city are
as one in the opinion that a protest
should at once be made to the Gov-
ernment. The returned men are
in which the incapacitated men have
been dealt with in the past. There
has been much suffering by men
and their families owing to the mis-
management of the Pensions Board.
It is claimed. Indignation is rife upon
the matter of the Pension Com-
mission's decision that they would
challenge the Royal Commission's
report.

To-night will see the subject thor-
oughly threshed out amongst the
representatives of the returned men
of the local Canadian Legion body, who
will be the principal speaker of the
evening, is well fitted to discuss the
maladministration of the Pensions
Board. This speaker will take the
floor at eight o'clock this evening.

Col. F. A. Robertson, D.S.O., chair-
man of the Soldiers' Aid Commission
of British Columbia, and Comrade
E. N. Coles, past president of the Tu-
bercular Veterans' Association, also
will take part as speakers in the
evening's discussion.

A number of resolutions may be
presented to the meeting to-night.
The dissatisfaction of the commu-
nity at the decision of the men who
served their country must be brought
to the notice of the proper officials,
it is claimed.

The meeting is being held under
the auspices of the following returned
soldiers' organizations: Amputation
Club, Veterans of France, Great War
Veterans' Association, Army and
Navy Veterans, British Campaigners,
Canadian Legion, Tubercular Veter-
ans' Association and the Grand
Army of United Veterans. These re-
presentatives of the returned men will
be present at the meeting.

VISCOUNT CHAPLIN DIED IN LONDON

Was Eighty-Three; Was Der-
by Winner in 1867

London, May 29.—Viscount Chaplin
of St. Vincent, a distinguished politi-
cian and sportsman for more than
fifty years, is dead. Probably his
greatest claim to fame was in his
ownership of the famous white horse
Derby in 1867 at odds of 100 to 1.
Chaplin, who was not made a peer
until 1916, backed the horse heavily
and won a handsome fortune, of
which he gave his trainer £5,000.
He sat in the House of Commons
over forty-seven years until 1916.

Wherever Henry Chaplin appeared
on the political platform, in the
House of Commons, on the race-
course, or in the hunting field, his
appearance always meant the
brightening of the faces of those
about him. The old man, who was
known as the "old lion," with his
black band, the side whiskers and
the gracious smile were not so much
his own possessions as the possession
of every dweller in the Old Land
who is glad to see the sight of a
fine old English gentleman. Radical
speakers of a generation back might
have hurled their fulminations
against the squire of the land, but
he would have been a fool of a stump
orator who would have illustrated
his points by any derogatory refer-
ence to Henry Chaplin. Such a squire,
who, throughout his life took good
luck and bad, on the turf, in politics,
in matters of his own heart with
equal thanks, was certain of a warm
place in the affections of the British
multitude.

Born in 1840.
The Squire of Blankney, to use the
term by which he was often de-
scribed, was the son of a country
gentleman. From 1869 to 1916, with
the exception of a break of a few weeks,
he was in the House of Commons.
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MANITOBA GIVES SUPPORT TO B. C.

Urges Canadian Senate to
Pass Bill Dealing With
Liquor Importation

Precautionary Measure in
View of Early Manitoba
Vote

Winnipeg, May 29.—Attorney-
General R. W. Craig announced to-
day the Manitoba Government
would join with Ontario, Sas-
katchewan, Alberta and British
Columbia in urging the adoption
by the Dominion Senate of an
amendment to the Canada Tem-
perance Act to prevent importa-
tion of liquor except by provin-
cial liquor control boards. Mr. Craig
said the action was being taken by
the Government as a precautionary
measure in case the Moderation
League Bill was endorsed in Mani-
toba on June 22.

MOOSE WILL TAKE CHARGE OF CITY

Five Thousand Visitors Ex-
pected Here Next Week
for Big Convention

Massed Band Concerts and
Parades Are Planned

The city will be invaded next
week by a horde of Moose. The
trek this way is from all over the
Pacific Northwest, including the
States of Oregon, Washington,
Idaho, Montana and the Province
of British Columbia.

It will be the occasion of the
monster convention of the Northwest
Moose Association which opens here
on Thursday. The convention is
expected to draw 5,000 members
of the big Moose family will visit
Victoria during the coming week.
Entertainment arrangements are
now practically complete. All that
is needed to make the affair a great
success is a spell of finer weather.
The actual convention will be held
on June 7, 8 and 9, but it is anticipated
that many hundreds will arrive
during the day previous to the opening
one.

Charlotte Chartered.
Seattle lodge has chartered the
S.S. Princess Charlotte for the
transportation of their own members
and those of some of the neigh-
bouring cities, and they will arrive early
on the morning of June 7. The Van-
couver delegation, some hundreds in
number, will reach the city about
the same time and will make their
presence known through their
famous band. Quite a large number
will come by auto via the medium
of the various ferries, and amongst
these will be the delegates from
Portland, who are scheduled to leave
that city on the evening of Sunday,
June 3, and who should reach here
about Wednesday next. Outstanding
features of the convention will be a
massed band concert to take place
in front of the Parliament Buildings,
and the grand parade to the Willows
Grounds.

Complete Programme.
Subject to one or two slight
changes the complete programme is
as follows:
(Continued on page 9.)

SHIP CARRYING 1,165 CATTLE FROM CANADA TO BRITAIN

Montreal, May 29.—One of the
largest single shipments of Canadian
cattle this year left this port, to-
day, carried by the steamship Irishman,
which sailed from here yesterday for
Birkenhead. The shipment consisted
of 1,165 head of cattle, most of
them from Ontario and of an aver-
age weight of 1,100 pounds each.

HAMMER SLAYER AGAIN IN STATES

Arrives at New Orleans From
Honduras

Vast Crowd Gathers; Special
Police Measures Taken

New Orleans, May 29.—Clara Phil-
lips, fugitive "hammer" slayer, ar-
rived here at 1:15 p. m., completing
the first lap of her journey from
Honduras to Los Angeles. She was
standing on the deck with a deputy
sheriff and her sister as the steam-
ship Copan docked.

A huge crowd collected at the dock
to obtain a glimpse of the woman
who was convicted of beating Albert
McGraw to death with a hammer,
and later made a sensational flight
from the Los Angeles county jail to
Central America. Special details of
police mingled with the crowd to
prevent possibility of the woman
again attempting to escape.

After the usual visit of custom-
ers to the ship, Mrs. Phillips and
her escort entered the automo-
bile of the chief of police and drove
to police headquarters.

MORE THAN 500,000 IN THE RUHR DISTRICT NOW OUT OF STRIKE

Offer From Industrialists Designed to End Strike Is
Expected to Be Rejected; Communist Committee of
Control Gains Upper Hand in Essen.

Gelsenkirchen, May 29.—A mass meeting of 10,000 striking
miners in this district has been called for this afternoon to con-
sider an offer from the industrialists to end the strike. It was
indicated, however, that the settlement proposals would be over-
whelmingly rejected; the strikers being more determined than ever
to hold out for their full demands.

It was estimated by union officials to-day that 300,000 miners
are on strike in the Ruhr out of a total of 510,000. Besides, there
are 160,000 repairmen and helpers striking, as well as 70,000 metal
workers, making the total of strikers more than 500,000.

The Gelsenkirchen district is still the scene of much distur-
bance. Strikers have been making the rounds of a number of mines
to see that nobody stays on the job.
In one instance a number of
workmen were compelled to march
in the ranks of the visitors through
a Communist centre, where the on-
lookers jeered the non-strikers and bom-
barded them with missiles.

Essen Situation.
The Communist committee of con-
trol is apparently gaining the upper
hand here, having little difficulty in
forcing the shopkeepers to keep
prices down to the mark dictated by
the committee.

The French authorities at Dussel-
dorf issued an official denial to-day
of widespread reports that the French
had supplied the firemen and work-
ers of Bochum with firearms.

FRENCH-BELGIAN RUHR CONFERENCE NEXT WEDNESDAY

Paris, May 29.—In accordance
with the Belgian Government's
wish, Premier Poincare to-day
notified Foreign Minister Jaspard
that he would go to Brussels on
Wednesday of next week for fur-
ther conversations on the Ruhr
situation.

SEVERAL REPORTED KILLED IN DRESDEN

Demonstration By Unemploy-
ed in Capital of Saxony
Nearly All Dresden Stores
Said to Be Closed

Berlin, May 29.—Although the
Government of Saxony denies
that any disorders have occurred
in Dresden, the Berlin newspa-
pers to-day publish dispatches
depicting the situation in Dres-
den as serious, owing to distress
among the unemployed, who are
marching and demonstrating
through the city.

The Tages Zeitung reports that
a crowd attempted to storm the
Dresden police headquarters last
night and several persons were killed
or injured. Practically all the shops
and restaurants in the Saxon capital
have been closed in fear of plunder-
ing, the advices added.

The mob appeared before the opera
house, demanding that it be closed,
the dispatches say, but withdrew
when the directorate promised to
give 500,000 marks to the unemploy-
ment fund.

Belgian Plan.
Paris, May 29.—Belgium's repa-
ration plans, according to the Statin,
suggests the formation in the Reich
of monopolies in such commodities
as alcohol, sugar and tobacco, to-
gether with the exploitation of the railroads
and state industries, which would be
managed by international syndicates
on which the Allies would be well represented.

The Macmillan Committee Theuys
believes this plan would furnish a
minimum of 2,400,000,000 gold marks
annually. It would have the advan-
tage of being a cash plan, and would
be commercial one, and would mean
that she would find ways of meeting it
within her own borders, thus making
it unnecessary for the French and
Belgians to relinquish their pledges.

FOREST FIRES IN GREAT LAKE REGION

Flames in White River, Ont.,
Area Under Control

500 Men Battle With Fires in
Northern Minnesota

Fort William, Ont., May 29.—
A dispatch from White River indi-
cates that the fire which had
been threatening that town
swept past it and that the blaze
is now under control.

Fire rangers have been gather-
ed together in the danger zone.
Dense smoke is hanging over the
country in the vicinity of White
River, but the alarm which
caused many people to prepare
to leave their homes has subsided, as
it is believed the danger point has
been passed. The fire, which it is
believed originated at Depue, has
laid waste a large tract of wooded
country to the north and east of the
town.

In Minnesota.
St. Paul, Minn., May 29.—More than
500 men, including forest rangers,
fire battalions with axes and brush
saws in Northern Minnesota to-day
with rain, the only medium of com-
pletely extinguishing the blazes,
promised for late to-day or to-mor-
row.

Reports to W. T. Cox, State For-
ester, were that the situation was be-
coming serious, with scores of fires
extending westward from Duluth to
Leech Lake. Most of the fires are
on cut-over lands.

In the Iron Range district there
are between fifteen and twenty fires
burning.

CHANGE SOON IN HARDING'S CABINET

Report Says Daugherty, At-
torney-General, Will
Retire

A. P. Seymour, of Columbus,
Ohio, May Succeed Him

Springfield, Ohio, May 29.—Harry
M. Daugherty of Columbus, Attor-
ney-General of the United States, is
expected to announce his retirement
from the Cabinet of President Har-
ding, and with it the President will
make known the name of his suc-
cessor, who is to be the personal
choice of Mr. Daugherty, according
to an article published to-day by The
Springfield Daily News from its
Washington correspondent, Charles
E. Morris.

The article reports that August P.
Seymour, of Columbus, a long-time
friend of Mr. Daugherty, and at present
Assistant to the Attorney-Gen-
eral, may receive the appointment.
Mr. Daugherty's ill-health is re-
ported as the reason for his pending
resignation.

FRENCH CROPS.

Paris, May 29.—(Canadian Press
Cable)—While there are 2,100,000
acres under cereal cultivation in
France over last year's acreage, the
amount down is 2,500,000 acres under
the pre-war figure.—The crops are
fifteen days earlier than usual, and
the coming harvest is estimated at
8,750,000 tons, or 2,250,000 tons more
than last year's harvest.

Are they Stevensons?

Whose Birthday?

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Money-Saving Opportunities at the big used car sale, next to the Dominion Theatre, Yates Street, Cartier Bros. and Rennie's service.

The Gingham Dance, which was to be given by Carpe Robekah Lodge on May 25, will be held on June 22.

Figure Drawing and Painting Classes: Saturdays, 9.30 to 11.30. Mondays, 7.20 to 9.20. Will Menclaw, Instructor, 202-3 Union Bldg.

Miss Griffith, Dressmaker, is temporarily conducting her business on top floor, Woolworth Building, Suite 202. Phone 6553.

Schaper & Greighton, men's and ladies' tailors, suite 194, Woolworth Bldg., phone 2332. New arrivals of Spring suitings, all kinds of re-modelling, alteration, pressing and cleaning.

Does it embarrass you to select and choose from stock on the shop counter? Read the advertisements. They put before you the best of the world's products which you can pick from before you go shopping.

FELLOWSHIP NEED OF WORLD TO-DAY

Rev. Dr. Clem Davies Addresses Kiwanis Club at Luncheon

Centennial Radio, Best of Kind, at City's Disposal

That the primary need of the world to-day was the brotherly love which took the weak and placed them on their feet, was the message of Rev. Dr. Clem Davies in the course of a brief and witty address before the Kiwanis Club to-day. The fellowship of the Kiwanis Club was typical of the expression of brotherly love which the world of to-day needed to recover from the shock of forty years' rule by blood and iron, held the speaker.

New Optimism.

A new optimism was abroad in Victoria, he said, rendered more noticeable in the events of the past four months. This optimism was the birth of better days, and would lead to a real future for this city. In all his travels, said Dr. Davies, he had not seen a more beautiful city, nor one of more promise. It was the service of world while citizens. A little more cordiality to visitors and a holding together to serve the needs of the future was all that was required to enable the city to take its place in the development that held high promise for the future.

Radio Installation.

During the course of his address Dr. Davies announced that the chief engineer of the Marconi Company in Canada, arrived in the city to-day and had already commenced the installation of the wireless broadcasting station at the Centennial Methodist Church. When the set was completely installed it would be without peer on the coast. This, said the speaker, was at the disposal of the city and the Publicity Bureau with the operators supplied by the church. Bringing the work of the church into the homes of the crippled, the homes of storm-bound prairie farmers, and all those who could not attend church, was the reason for the installation of the radio, which, said the speaker, would enlarge his congregations from thousands to tens of thousands. The Centennial radio, continued Dr. Davies, was unique, in that it was the only one of its kind made by the Marconi Company and would have a range equal to any station on the coast. The latest refinements in radio broadcasting would be carefully watched, and the local set made to conform to the best there was in radio circles. It was his privilege, on behalf of the Centennial Church, to place the radio at the disposal of the city, to be used in its best interests.

Hopes to Remain.

Dr. Davies in opening his address paid a graceful tribute to the work and aims of the Kiwanis Club. Referring briefly to the results of the Methodist Conference at Vancouver, Dr. Davies expressed the hope that he would be able to remain in this city, where he proposed to invest the best of his life and youth in the interest of Christian leadership. A rousing ovation awaited the speaker at the conclusion of his remarks.

Fellowship Queen There.

The Kiwanis Club were hosts to-day to distinguished guests, including one queen, a mayor, and two reeves, besides a number of out-of-town visitors. Miss Dora Rolfs, queen of the Maytime Frolic, received a great ovation, and was presented with a large framed picture of her court by Dean Quinlan on behalf of the Seattle Kiwanis Club. Queen Dora, in an engaging reply, thanked the donors through the medium of the local club, voicing her appreciation of the cordial reception given to Victoria's Maytime Court on the American side of the line in the recent tour.

Mayor Reginald Hayward, a member of the club; Reeve Hewlett of Oak Bay, another club member, and Reeve Watson of Saanich, attended the luncheon to-day. Dr. H. H. Hare was introduced to the meeting as the latest addition to the ranks of the Kiwanis Club members in this city. Messrs. H. P. Pullen, Prince Rupert; E. F. Kidney, Toronto, and other visitors were guests of the club at the luncheon. With Kenneth Ferguson in the chair, Mrs. Morton contributed a solo in excellent style, was warmly welcomed, and accompanied by Miss Morton at the piano. Kiwanian Cecil Heaton's three-piece orchestra played during the luncheon period.

The marriages in 1921 were 6,000 fewer than in the previous year. However, 1920 was a record year. The divorce decrees granted by the courts of Great Britain in 1921 totalled 5,500, the highest number yet recorded.

The Registrar-General in his report adds some particulars of the vital statistics for some of the various Dominions of the Empire. From these it appears that Manitoba has the highest birthrate, 20.03, and British Columbia the lowest, 20.03. New Brunswick has the highest death rate, 13.9, and Saskatchewan the lowest, 7.4. New Brunswick has the highest infant mortality rate, 113 per 1,000, and New Zealand the lowest, 48 per 1,000.

The highest marriage rate is in Natal, South Africa, 18 per 1,000, and the lowest is in Saskatchewan, 13.4.

BATHERS WARNED BY PARIS POLICE

Paris, May 28.—(Canadian Press Cable, via Reuters).—The Prefect of Police has issued orders forbidding bathing in public places in Paris unless the bathers are decently clothed, and also forbidding addressing and public gaze. The police instructions are directed mainly against women who take advantage of the Seine for a convenient toilet, and are under no good as to let him know how long it will be before your bath stops overflowing through his ceiling?

CONSOLATION

When the young husband returned home from the office he found his wife in tears.

"Please, Mr. Grafton," said the caretaker of the flats, "the gentleman on the next floor presents his compliments and says, 'seeing as how you can't forget the future, would you be so good as to let him know how long it will be before your bath stops overflowing through his ceiling?'"



THREE CUBAN BEAUTIES—ALL IN ONE FAMILY.—Madame Bonaria Bonet, wife of the commercial attaché of the Cuban legation at Washington, her daughter, Evora (left) and her sister-in-law, Berta (right).

German General Tells of Plot to Make Bavarian Prince New Kaiser



PRINCE RUPPRECHT OF BAVARIA AND HIS WIFE. INSET: PRINCE ALBERT, THEIR SON.

(By Bob Dorman)

German censorship prevented this story from being sent out while it was still in Germany.

I had luncheon with a famous general of the German army at his home, and on condition that his name be withheld he gave me an interview heretofore unpublished.

This general, occupying a powerful and commanding position during the World War, made these predictions for Germany's future:

Overthrow of the present republican government the moment allied claims are settled.

Establishment of a German empire with a Wittelsbach instead of a Hohenzollern as emperor.

Crowning as the next kaiser of ex-Crown Prince Rupprecht, of Bavaria, or his son, Prince Albert.

The former general received me in the garden of his villa. He spoke, hesitatingly, in English. His tall figure was clothed in a gray civilian suit.

"Officially, he said, 'I do not give interviews.'"

I asked him about monarchial plans of the Nationalist party.

"Yes," he said, "Germany will be a monarchy again—soon. An overwhelming majority of the German people want a kaiser, not a president."

Monarchists Waiting Reparations Settlement.

"Leaders of the Nationalist party know that they can seize the reins of government now with little or no bloodshed. But they prefer to wait."

"We realize that a permanent settlement of the allied claims must be reached, and it is obvious that the party arranging and signing such a settlement as the allies can and will force them to sign, will be condemned by history."

"Let the republicans now in power in Berlin perform this nasty job. That will be our opportunity. Of the rise of anger we—and a monarchy!—will be swept into the saddle."

BEER CAUSES MORE TROUBLE FOR WOMEN

Pina Bernick and Annie Clauser Answer Charges of Selling

Charged in the city police court this morning with selling beer on May 19 to R. O. Watson, Mrs. Annie Clauser this morning asserted that she had supplied the liquor to one she believed to be a friend and fellow employee of her husband's and had taken no money for the transaction, which was to be finally liquidated by the two men as friends.

Mrs. Pina Bernick, coupled with the charge, set up the defence that she was only a tenant in the house, that the barrels of full and empty beer bottles in the outhouse were evidence of her husband's life since returning from a visit to Okaklia resulting from a similar charge. She asserted that she "could get rid" of a barrel of beer pints, 120 bottles, in three weeks, as "I love beer."

Asked if she was a teetotaler, Mrs. Bernick emphasized "No, thank God, and since coming back from Okaklia I drink a little more than I used to do. Where I drank one bottle, now I drink two, to sober up my heart."

Beer Always Ready.

Robert O. Watson, chief witness, stated that he had purchased a number of drinks from Mrs. Clauser in the course of the past few months. Generally of late Mrs. Bernick had been present. Three times on May 19 he had called and consumed beer, on the last occasion taking away an array of bottles for a party to be held elsewhere at the liquor vendor's.

Liquor Vendor Story.

Constable Palmer had arrested Watson when leaving with these bottles, and had at first been informed that the beer was purchased at the vendor's, a story abandoned after some quizzing at police headquarters by Chief Fry.

In this connection Watson swore that, together with one Manson, he was joint owner of a permit which had been destroyed by temperance adherents some six weeks previously, yet had been sufficient authority for weekly purchases of Government beer on Saturday evenings, the number being all that was known to the joint owners, and that vestige solely due to the kindness of the officials in looking up the records.

The hearing was adjourned until Thursday morning, R. C. Lowe meeting with Saturday evening, from Magistrate Jay when he urged that no case rested against Mrs. Bernick. Contradictions as to the passage of the beer to Watson and the young woman were featured in Mr. Lowe's defence tactics.

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OREGON CONVICT WHO ESCAPED IS BACK IN PRISON

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MUST WAIT FOR LARGER EARNINGS

Annual Report of C. N. R. Directors Is Made Public

No "Striking Improvement" During Current Year, Says Thornton

Ottawa, May 29.—An improvement in the net earnings of the Canadian National Railways is not to be expected during the current year, states Sir Henry Thornton, president, in the annual report of the directors for 1922, which has been made public.

The report covers the Canadian Northern system, the Canadian Government Railways and the Grand Trunk Pacific, but does not include the Grand Trunk, Sir Henry stating this is the last report to be made for the three groups of lines by themselves.

Several Factors.

"On account of the situation outlined," says Sir Henry in explanation of the statement in regard to the net returns, "with reference to the lines previously comprising the Canadian National Railways, it is necessary to require to develop plans for improving the situation as it is now affected by the inclusion of the Grand Trunk lines, and having in mind other conditions which the re-organization of so vast a system involves, your directors feel it necessary to warn the owners of the system that the present year is not likely to show any great advance in operating performance, except as the situation may be improved by increased traffic, and while there may be an improvement in the traffic returns in the months prior to the crop movement, it is rather optimistic to expect a greater seasonal movement than took place in the last quarter of 1922."

Land Sales.

President Thornton calls attention to the falling off in sales of land and in land values. In 1922, he says, 9,025 acres were sold at an average price of \$16.67, as compared with 17,021 acres at \$18.55 in the previous year, while in 1920, the sales were \$4,002 acres at \$23.70.

In 1922 there were cancellations of sale of 114,656 acres as compared with 15,000 acres cancelled in 1921 and 31,188 acres cancelled in 1920. There remained at the end of 1922, 825,095 acres of land owned by the company and owing to the decline in the land values, these have been written down in the list of the company's assets.

The general figures contained in the directors' report have already been made public in the statement of Minister of Railways in the House of Commons.

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TEACHERS WILL VISIT SEATTLE

To Be Guests of American Educationalists June 2

Victoria school teachers will visit Seattle June 2 as guests of the Seattle school system and its teachers. A large party of educationalists is expected to make the trip, which will be in the form of a return visit to the Seattle teachers, who were entertained here last June.

The party will leave here on the afternoon of Friday, June 2, and will return on Sunday morning. The Seattle teachers also have invited officials of the Department of Education and of the city of Seattle, as well as teachers from Vancouver and the lower mainland. The party will be welcomed in Seattle by Mayor Brown and will be entertained at luncheon and with drives around the city.

All persons actively interested in education, as well as Normal School graduates, will be welcomed in Seattle. Full particulars of the trip may be secured from Harry Charlesworth, general secretary of the British Columbia Teachers' Federation, whose telephone numbers are 1399 and 5250L.

MORE CANDIDATES FOR ONTARIO HOUSE

Liberals and Progressives Choose Standard-Bearers in Toronto Ridings

Toronto, May 29.—Committee meetings of Liberals and Progressives being held here to-day to make sure of placing candidates for every one of the thirteen seats in the Legislature, as representing Toronto and its environs, call to mind the fact that Toronto is not as Tory as it used to be. It is expected that there will be opposition by both Liberal and United Farmers or Labor Independent candidates to all the Conservative candidates for the Toronto and York seats at the election of 1919 the score for the thirteen seats was: Conservatives, 8; Liberals, 4; Soldier, 1.

New Phrases.

Wellington Hay, the Liberal leader, brought a new phrase into the campaign argument at North Bay last night when he talked of Premier Drury as being "under the thumb of George Street."

The headquarters of the United Farmers are on George Street, Toronto, and Mr. Hay's reference implied that the present Government was purely an "occupation party."

Premier Drury will probably make reply to this when he bears the old party lions in their traditional dens in Measey Hall, Toronto, on Friday night next.

Conservatives.

The statement of G. Howard Ferguson, the Conservative leader, at Spencerville yesterday that his party would maintain a consistent attitude in regard to prohibition and make no change till the electors demanded it, has admittedly cleared the air in respect to the position of Mr. Ferguson and his party on this much discussed question.

DR. E. F. BURWASH JOINS STAFF OF B. C. UNIVERSITY

Vancouver, May 29.—E. F. Burwash, Ph.D. of Toronto, will take the place for a year at the University of British Columbia of Dr. S. J. Schofield, who was recently given two months' leave of absence. The appointment of Dr. Burwash was made last night by the Board of Governors of the University.

Dr. Burwash is well known in British Columbia, having been at one time on the staff of Columbian College, New Westminster, and having done considerable geological work in this province.

Another appointment made was that of F. M. Knapp, M.S., to be Assistant Professor of Forestry.

SOUTH DAKOTA WOMAN KILLED HER MOTHER

Mitchell, S. D., May 29.—Mrs. Martha Carter, thirty-eight, shot and killed her mother, Mrs. Lena Buzzell, sixty-five, as she sat at the breakfast table in her home here to-day, and then fired two shots at her mother. The sister was wounded in the shoulder. Mrs. Carter told the police the shooting was due to quarrels.

Beatty And His Farmers

Back row, from left to right: Leonard Grimmer, Clifford White, Gordon Salter, Joseph Murray. Seated, E. W. Beatty, K. C.

The four English boy farmers, prize winners among all the "Young Farmers Clubs of Great Britain," who are visiting the Dominion and taking an agricultural course at Alberta colleges at the expense of the Canadian Pacific Railway, photographed at the office of the President of the Company.



POSTMASTERS WERE POLITICAL PARTISANS

Eleven in Quebec Province
Dismissed Since Jan. 1,
1922

During Late Conservative Re-
gime 800 Were Dismissed

Ottawa, May 29.—Dismissals of postmasters in the provinces of Ontario, Quebec, and Saskatchewan, on charges of political partisanship, were brought before the Commons yesterday afternoon in a number of questions placed on the Order Paper by R. B. Hanson, Conservative, York-Sunbury, N.B.

P. Graham, Acting Postmaster-General, stated eleven postmasters in Ontario and Saskatchewan had been dismissed since January 1, 1922. "Is it the intention," Mr. Hanson asked, "to continue this policy of dismissals under the cover of inquiries which are but excuses in the eyes of the public?"

To this, the answer given was that "the procedure followed is identical with that put into effect by the Conservative Government after the election of 1911."

The Conservative Government dismissed over 800 postmasters for political partisanship, the majority without public investigation, against sixty-two by the present Government, in the majority of which cases public investigation has been held.

An American was traveling in a Southern express. Calling the Negro car attendant, he said, "Bring me a cup of black coffee, without cream."

Presently the attendant reappeared, bearing a cup of coffee, and said, "Very sorry, sah, but we hadn't got no cream, so I brought it without milk."—Tit-Bits.

"I Avoided an Operation Appendicitis Disappeared"

Mrs. James Wells, Udon, Ont., writes:—



"I took a severe pain in my right side. It was very bad at times. I tried oils and tablets without gaining any relief. The doctor pronounced it chronic appendicitis. I dreaded an operation and a friend advised Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. I used them and not only obtained relief from pain, but I believe it has completely freed me of appendicitis, as it is now over a year since I have had any of the old symptoms."

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills

One pill a dose, 25c a box. All dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto.

HAPSBURGS GIVEN USE OF ESTATE

Von Herberg, Seattle, Lets
Them Have Hunting Pre-
serve in Tyrolean Alps

New York, May 29.—J. G. von Herberg, Seattle theatrical man, has offered former Empress Zita of Austria the use of the 60,000-acre hunting preserve of the late Emperor Franz Joseph. It is announced by The New York World. Mr. von Herberg, who owns a string of theatres in the Pacific Northwest, leased the preserve from the Austrian Government while he was in Europe last year. In a letter to The World he said the former Empress had arranged for maintenance of the former royal family.

The hunting preserve is in the Tyrolean Alps, about half a day's journey from Vienna. In one of the two chateaux the late Emperor and Empress, former Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany and Franz Joseph were said to have met to discuss treaties.

IN TORONTO DICKENS FELLOWSHIP HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

Toronto, May 29.—The Dickens Fellowship convention, an annual international event, is being held in Toronto. It opened yesterday and is being continued to-day, this being the first occasion this convention has been held in Canada.

In his address of welcome, Vincent Massey, honorary president of the Toronto Dickens Fellowship, expressed the fear that that great author's mode of approach was lost to-day. In those days the power of satire was skillfully used and perhaps would account for many extensive reforms, since even wrongdoers hate to be laughed at.

Reports were presented from the Vancouver and Winnipeg branches. A resolution providing for the federation of American and Canadian branches was referred to a committee. An address was given by Professor Perry of Winnipeg.

URGED MONUMENT BE ERECTED IN ROME

Deputy Questioned Govern-
ment Regarding Building
of Methodist Institute

Rome, May 29.—In the Chamber of Deputies, Deputy Cingolani, a Catholic, interrogated the Government yesterday concerning the purchase by American Methodists of a portion of Mount Mario, overlooking the Vatican, with the intention of constructing there a Protestant institute, which the deputy declared would be offensive to the religious and artistic feelings of the capital and of the Catholic world.

Under-Secretary of the Interior Pinali, replying to the deputy, said the Government deemed it inadvisable to make a concrete reply to the interpellation.

"Americans," Deputy Cingolani said, "enjoy in Italy the best of hospitality from the Italian people and they render bad service to the cordial relations between the two countries when groups of Methodists treat Italy as a barbaric land needing evangelization with torrents of gold."

The deputy urged the Government to purchase Mount Mario and erect there a national monument to Dante and symbolic of Italian traditions and Catholic thought.

A dispatch from Rome on May 29 of last year told of the dedication of the first of seven educational buildings to be erected on Mount Mario.

NATIONAL PARK BILL AT OTTAWA

Ottawa, May 29.—A bill respecting national parks and reservations was introduced and given first reading in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon. Hon. Charles Stewart stated the bill was for the purpose of giving better administration to the parks and recreation grounds and wild life sanctuaries.

It would give the Governor-in-Council power to set aside sites for the erection of historic monuments.

FAVORABLE PRAIRIE CROP WEATHER

Great Fruit Crop in British
Columbia Is Expected

Winnipeg, May 29.—(Canadian Press).—Desirable crop weather prevailed throughout the prairie provinces during the last week, according to the weekly statement issued by the agricultural department of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Wheat seeding is completed and coarse grains are well advanced. The moisture situation is favorable, but a number of districts would benefit by a good rain. No localities, however, are suffering. Grasshoppers have appeared in a few districts of each province, but little trouble is expected from this source this year.

Manitoba has experienced ideal crop weather, the report states. All wheat seeding is finished and oats and barley are fifty-five per cent. to sixty-five per cent. in. About fifty per cent. of the wheat seeded already is above ground and looking well. Fall rye is looking fair, with about the same acreage as last year.

Had Rain. Warm weather, with considerable rain, has been experienced in Saskatchewan, where wheat seeding is entirely finished. Coarse grains are sixty per cent. seeded and early sown fields are making a showing of healthy looking growth.

During the last seven days Alberta has had good seeding weather. Wheat seeding is over and coarse grains are ninety per cent. finished. Southern portions of the province have been favored with good rains since seeding commenced. There is no surplus of moisture anywhere, however, and a little more in some central sections would do much good. Wheat is well up and looking fine, as is winter wheat.

On the Edmonton, Dunvegan and British Columbia Railway favorable conditions prevail. Wheat is well above ground. Oats is still being sown, but most of this will probably be green feed. Lack of rain in the district is causing much uneasiness and many parts are already showing need of it. Stock is not showing improvement.

B. C. Fruit. British Columbia has been favored with plenty of sunshine and good growing weather. Apricot blossoms are beginning to show and peaches are coming into bloom. Small tree fruits are looking well. The general feeling throughout the Okanagan this year is that fruit crop will exceed all former records.

WANTED AN INTRODUCTION

During a country ramble, a good-natured fellow spoke to a young woman without the formality of an introduction.

There was occasion for it, for he happened to see a great fat caterpillar crawling on her collar.

Jumping towards her he said: "Madam, permit me to—"

But the young woman waved him off with an imperious gesture and said: "How dare you speak to me without an introduction? You are certainly no gentleman, sir!" Here the caterpillar overbalanced itself and fell down her neck.

"Ouch! Oh! Help! Take it off somebody!" screamed the girl.

The man was the only somebody around just then, and he said: "Couldn't think of it, madam. I haven't been introduced to the caterpillar."—Tit-Bits.

POLICY SIMILAR TO BONAR LAW'S

Baldwin, New British Premier,
Will Follow Conservative
Traditions

London, May 29.—Second reading of the indemnity bill to protect Home Secretary Bridgeman from the penalties threatening him as a result of the Appeal Court's decision in the case of the Irish deportees. The vote was 297 to 143. It was passed with a majority of 154 in the Commons last evening, the vote being 297 to 142.

The figures were greeted with hearty ministerial cheers, being a much larger majority than the Government's normal strength, owing to the Lloyd George group, to which a concession in the bill was made, voting with the Government.

The sitting yesterday afternoon being the first since Stanley Baldwin became Prime Minister, the customary speeches of eulogy and sympathy for the retiring Premier and of welcome for the new head of the Government were delivered briefly by the leaders of the various parties. Mr. Baldwin made no direct declaration of policy except for the very general statement that he would continue along the lines laid down by Mr. Bonar Law and by Conservative tradition.

Compensation. Lord Robert Cecil, making his first speech as a member of the new Government, said the Government desired to secure for the Irish deportees such compensation as they would be entitled to recover in ordinary courts and was prepared to insert a clause making that quite clear. He also agreed that damages should be recovered before a legal tribunal. This concession was accepted by C. A. McCurdy, National Liberal, on behalf of the Lloyd Georgeians.

Mr. Lloyd George had previously suggested that instead of depriving the deportees of their legal rights, the Government should insert a clause in the bill enabling the deportees to make their claims and creating a judicial tribunal to decide the question of fair compensation.

J. Ramsay MacDonald, Labor leader, made a slashing speech in which he moved rejection of the bill.

AMERICANS TO EXPLORE FOR OIL IN LOWER CALIFORNIA

Mexicali, Lower California, May 29.—Governor Jose Innocente Lugo, of the Northern District of Lower California, has made it known that representatives of the Doheny and other large oil interests of the Pacific coast who conferred with him here Saturday, made "satisfactory" overtures for permits to drill for oil in Lower California, and that they were referred to Mexico City.

Another meeting of the oil men will be held here in about a week, it was announced.

BADLY PUT

A peculiar effect was produced by an announcement in the advertisements of a country fair.

Among other things the announcement said: "Attractive features of this great fair will be highly amusing donkey races and pig races."

Then, to the amazement of the judicious, this note was added: "Competition in these two contests will be open to residents of the county only!"

Angus Campbell & Co. Ltd.

1008-10 GOVERNMENT STREET

Interesting Values For Wednesday Morning's Selling

Wednesday morning shoppers will find it to their advantage to shop here to-morrow morning and share in the exceptional values being offered.

Cream Knitted Wool Sports Skirts Special at \$4.75

English Cream Knitted Wool Sports Skirts in fancy design have been specially priced to sell Wednesday morning at \$4.75. Made with elastic waistband and in the desired sizes. Special, \$4.75

Allover Aprons Girls' Corset at 89c Waists, 69c

Allover Aprons in the popular bungalow style, made of good quality print; light and dark colors to select from. Very special value at 89c

A special selling of well made Corset Waists for girls 8 to 14 years of age at the low price of 69c. Perfect fitting and remarkable value at such a low price 69c

Women's Cotton Lisle Vests at 3 for \$1.00

25 dozen Women's Cotton Lisle Vests, made in opera top, strap shoulder and short sleeve styles. Good quality and splendid value Wednesday morning at 3 for \$1.00

Kayser Silk Stamped Night- Gloves, \$1.00 gowns, Special Per Pair at \$1.49

Kayser Silk Gloves, with double tipped fingers, in black, white and the wanted colors. Sizes 5½ to 8. Priced at, per pair \$1.00

Excellent quality Nainsook Stamped Nightgowns in easily worked and neat designs. All made up and ready to embroider. Very special value at \$1.49

Crepe de Chine Overblouses to Sell Wednesday Morning at \$4.75

Twenty only, Pretty and Dainty Crepe de Chine Overblouses, in white, pink and sand, trimmed with lace and tucks. Sizes 36 to 42. On sale Wednesday morning at, each \$4.75

Fancy Striped Fibre Silk Hose Exceptional Value

Women's Fancy Striped Fibre Silk Hose in black, white, brown and fawn. Sizes 8½ to 10. An excellent bargain Wednesday morning at, per pair .79c

AT 79c PER PAIR

ONTARIO LIBERAL LEADER CAMPAIGNS

W. Hay Speaks in North Bay; Ferguson, Conservative Leader, Nominated

North Bay, Ont., May 29.—The opening gun of Wellington Hay's Northern campaign as leader of the Ontario Liberals was fired here last night when he replied to the statements of Premier Drury at New Liskeard last week, and reiterated his Milverton charge to the effect that the Premier is "the representative of an occupational group and is under the thumb of an organization whose headquarters are in George Street, Toronto."

Any support which the Liberals gave to the United Farmers in the early stages of their regime had not been repaid in kind, declared the Liberal leader.

The provincial general election will take place June 25.

Statement by Ferguson. Toronto, May 29.—Unanimously nominated in Grenville as the Conservative candidate in the provincial general election to be held on June 25, G. Howard Ferguson, leader of the Conservatives, announced that as far as the party he represented was concerned, prohibition would prevail in Ontario until the electors themselves decided against it.

Mr. Ferguson, who was supported at the convention by Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, declared that charges alleging that the Conservatives were unsympathetic to the temperance cause were without foundation.

Observers are busy discussing the possible entry of Sir Adam Beck, chairman of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Commission, into the political field. He was nominated by London Conservatives on Friday last, but requested a few days in which to consider the matter. He has not yet made his decision.

To date, approximately 250 candidates have been nominated in the 111 constituencies in the province.

BIG PAPER MILL IN NEWFOUNDLAND

Legislature Summoned to Confirm Armstrong-Whitworth Contract

St. John's, May 29.—The Newfoundland Legislature has been summoned to meet Wednesday, June 6, the special business of the session being to pass a bill confirming the contract entered into by the Government and the Armstrong-Whitworth Company of London for the establishment of a paper industry on the west coast of the island. The plant is to have a capacity of 400 tons daily.

The Government of Sir Richard Squires was sustained in the general election of last month on this issue. Under the agreement, the Newfoundland Government is to guarantee principal and interest of \$4,000,000 for the paper enterprise. Similar sums have been guaranteed by the British Government.



Luscious Breakfast Fruit

—Why Many Prefer It

The fresh, appetizing flavor of healthful grapefruit starts the day with snap and vigor.

Many consider it the ideal breakfast fruit because of its deliciousness and its beneficial salts and acids and abundant vitamins which tone up the entire system.

Wonderfully convenient—simply halve, then salt or sugar to taste. For finest flavor, prepare just before serving.

There are many other ways to use grapefruit, too. You'll be interested in the grapefruit demonstrations being made at the following stores:

**Hudson's Bay Company
H. O. Kirkham & Co., Ltd.
612 Fort Street**

The demonstrators will show you how to use this fruit in a number of tempting ways and gladly answer any questions that you have.

Easy to prepare, delicious, healthful—three reasons for serving grapefruit often. Write for free recipe book.

**Sunkist
California Grapefruit**

California Fruit Growers Exchange
A Non-profit, Co-operative Organization of 12,500 Growers
Dept. G60, Los Angeles, California



Grapefruit and Orange Salad

Sunkist grapefruit; Sunkist orange; celery tips; lettuce hearts.

Cut the pulp of the Sunkist grapefruit into cubes, separating it carefully from the white tissue. Slice the pulp of the Sunkist orange. Arrange on lettuce hearts. Garnish with celery tips. Serve with any desired dressing.

After Every Meal

WRIGLEY'S

The Great Canadian Sweetmeat

Teeth were given to man to use. Like our muscles, they need exercise and plenty of it.

WRIGLEY'S provides pleasant action for your teeth—also, the soft gum penetrates the crevices and cleanses them.

Aids digestion by increasing the flow of saliva which your stomach needs.

Use WRIGLEY'S after every meal—see how much better you will feel.

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A FESTIVAL OF BRILLIANCE.

It can be said with absolute certainty that no stage production of its kind ever presented to the people of this Island has excelled last night's Festival of Art at the Royal Victoria Theatre.

From the point of view of faithful portrayal of the works of the Old Masters the most exacting critic would not hesitate to praise the series of tableaux without stint. From the point of view of elaborate coloring and spectacular grouping the average individual with barely a nodding acquaintance with the names which milestone the centuries of art instantly lost his bump of locality and allowed himself to be carried into a strange and beautiful realm. The essentially modern person whose conception of art readily halts at the steel plate and its ultimate impress on legal tender must have gasped in wonderment as the moods and fashions of other days met his practical gaze.

If volume of applause meant anything at all it meant that the large audience would have been content to sit there for hours. At any rate the Royal Victoria Theatre should be packed to the roof to-night. Could one compliment the promoters of the delightful affair better than that?

IS IT A REAL SPLIT?

Although it may be charged that Premier Baldwin committed a tactical blunder in ignoring the assistance and co-operation of Mr. Austen Chamberlain in any move towards re-uniting the two wings of the Conservative Party of Great Britain, this recent evidence of domination by the unforgiving extremists of the Carlton Club need not be taken very seriously. Mr. Chamberlain is too big a man, actually too loyal to the fundamental principles for which his father and his successors have stood, too very much perturbed by an incident which may have been determined by conditions that are not yet and may not be known. And can the "split" in the Conservative ranks really be called a split? Lord Birkenhead and the former leader of the Government in the House of Commons under Mr. Lloyd George are the only prominent figures that are still "in the wilderness."

Conservative organization in Britain could always deal with defections with greater success than could the machinery which nominally controlled the more outspoken and more practical Liberals. The ex-Coalition-Conservative is a great deal more Tory than is the ex-Coalition-Liberal supporter of either Mr. Lloyd George or Mr. Asquith. In other words Mr. Baldwin's troubles of the moment, as far as the "split" is concerned, are negligible. The odds are all in his favor. He has succeeded in capturing Mr. McKenna, one of the most stalwart Liberals in the Asquith and Lloyd George Governments, and his inclusion of Lord Robert Cecil in his Cabinet gives him a position from which he should be able to face the future without serious misgivings. Mr. Baldwin's troubles will commence, however, if and when he shall consent to parliamentary domination by the forces that obviously controlled this last meeting as they did the memorable gathering at the Carlton Club.

Britain elected a Conservative Government. It was the short cut back to party lines—a system that will die very slowly in the Old Country. But the majority sentiment is far from anything that might savor of the reactionary. Apart from considerations of the desirability of the Premiership falling upon a member of the House of Commons, will it be seriously contended that the Conservative Party ignored the possibility of an early vacation of the Treasury Benches if Lord Curzon was selected? On the other hand Mr. Baldwin was the one safe man. And he added great strength to his Cabinet when he selected Mr. McKenna and Lord Robert Cecil. But the moment either of these two recent Carlton Club conspirators in any form they will certainly leave Mr. Baldwin to his own devices.

TO-NIGHT'S MEETING.

To-night's meeting of ex-service men at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium has been arranged for the purpose of giving an opportunity to the general public to understand several pensions anomalies which are working hardship in a number of cases in this and in other communities. The promoters of the gathering also have in mind the advisability of permitting a public expression of opinion to act as a sort of protest against the unwillingness of the Board of Pensions Commissioners to take steps to give effect to the recommendations of the Ralston Commission which toured the country to obtain information that would be of service to itself—and also to the Government.

To put the case briefly the whole trouble has arisen through the very common error of attempting to adjust a variety of unexpected and unusual claims with a set of blanket regulations. In a very large percentage of pensions, of course, the hard and fast rule can be applied with satisfactory results; but it goes without saying that one of the legacies of any war—and more particularly of the recent conflict—is the exceptional case. And if that exceptional case is to be treated in an adequately practical fashion the remedy obviously lies in machinery that is a good deal more elastic than that under which the Pensions Board conducts its affairs.

The Ralston Commission recommends the establishment of a District Review Board for each of the nine districts of the Department of Soldiers'

Re-establishment and a Federal Appeal Board for the Dominion as a whole. In other words it seeks to expand the existing organization to a point that would give adequate consideration of the exceptional case.

It is true that the condition of the national exchequer demands the utmost economy in every branch of the public service. The returned man knows that as well as anybody else. But he is not asking for charity. His request is that his physical and mental condition be restored to a standard that will permit of his attaining an economic position not inferior to that occupied by him before he went to fight for his country. This much should be regarded as a national obligation equal in importance to the national debt.

MATTER FOR CONGRATULATION.

It should be a matter of considerable pride to Victorians to learn that the period of the Maytime Frolic was one of virtual freedom from crime of any kind. Nobody supposed, of course, that the commencement of the festivities would usher in an epidemic of lesser or greater breaches of law and order. At the same time such an event presents an excellent opportunity for the light-hearted gentry to ply their trade with greater facility and success than under normal conditions. Absence of anything serious, however, is obviously due to the careful arrangements made by the police department well in advance, and its members are entitled to congratulations. And the people as a whole deserve warm commendation for their assistance in observing those rules and regulations that are sometimes ignored in the enthusiasm of the moment.

THE SWINDLE GAME.

Germany's paper money in circulation up to the middle of last week had reached the enormous total of 6,720,000,000 marks. Of course this stuff is not money at all; it is merely the printed paper with which she conducts her swindle. It is stage money and nothing else. At the same time it is extraordinary how people in this and other countries are paying out good coin because an enterprising exchange agency sends them an entertaining little ditty that promises an early increase in the value of the mark. An Eastern firm is spending quite a lot of Canadian money in Canadian postage stamps in order to make "fortunes" for Canadian people in this way.

Those who are foolish enough to let themselves be persuaded into the purchase of this wasted paper fail to realize that Germany has gone into the fake money production business in the same thorough manner that she adopts in most of the enterprises upon which she embarks. But there never was and never will be any intention to give this fake stuff any value. She has made it her business to collect billions of dollars from other countries in return for the printed article that her presses are turning out at a few billion marks a day. Since the end of the war she has taken in more dollars by this method than she has paid out in compensation for damage done at her instruction.

Victorians who get the Eastern circular that offers paper marks and promises an early return of good profit should consign it to the waste paper basket. Its terms are on a par with Germany's effrontery. It is hocus-pocus finance at best and the irritating thing about it is that the debtor nation has been able to get away with it so far. In other words as long as her presses are turning it out at such a rate it is logical to suppose that she is making the business pay.

NOTE AND COMMENT

Evidently Captain Hanrahan and the officers and men of the U. S. S. Omaha enjoyed their brief visit to Victoria. We shall hope to see them again at an early date. They can expect a warm welcome at all times.

We wager that Premier Baldwin is not worrying about the so-called split in the Conservative Party. Unless we mistake him and his business capacity he is the last man in the world to be fooled by the back benches of the Carlton Club.

Oxford undergraduates object to the presence of German students in their midst and do not take kindly to the theory that "learning knows no territorial bounds" in this instance. Very probably they look at their own honor roll and wonder why they should fall upon the Teutonic neck so soon after the unnecessary slaughter.

The "reds" of Nova Scotia, that is to say the units which belong to the United Mine Workers of America, have notified Mr. John L. Lewis, President of the Union, that they will drop their association with Soviet Russia's labor organizations. They have apparently found little to cheer them up in the messages from the officials of the Third Internationale.

OUR CONTEMPORARIES

KEEP OUT OF THE WAY.

Peterboro Examiner:—No reason except the gratification of curiosity exists why automobilists should consider it necessary to drive in almost on top of the fire apparatus, block hydrants and generally make nuisances of themselves when the serious business of trying to extinguish a fire is in hand. The least that can be done is to insure the brigade not only a clear run to the scene, but a chance to operate under the most favorable conditions. It is a point for drivers to remember the next time an alarm is sounded.

LESS HELP FROM OTTAWA.

Financial Times:—Not only in roads, but probably in grants to agriculture, and in other directions, a right-about-face should be taken by the Dominion. This does not imply that the provinces should not be able to depend on the department at Ottawa for the ablest advice that the ablest research can supply, but it does mean that the provinces should, more and more, be compelled to provide for governmental expenditures within their own limits. Only by relieving the financial load in these and other ways can Federal taxation be imposed on a fair basis, and our national debt be attacked.

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and legible. The longer an article is, the shorter the chance of its being published. Communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the owner wishes. The publication or selection of articles is a matter entirely in the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

THAT MINE AT STEWART.

To the Editor:—I should be glad if you would publish a correction of a statement appearing in your issue of May 21 under the heading of "McCallum Has Control Second Premier Gold Mine."

The statement referred to is, in effect, that D. J. McKill, Vancouver surveyor, had made the surveys of the Premier Mine and had then traced the Premier veins right through the Stewart Consolidated Company's property.

A surveyor does not make such statements. Information which he may have in respect of the vein systems or underground workings of any company must have been gained by him in the course of an engagement by the company, and is, therefore, of a confidential nature. The Premier veins have not been traced by McKill, but by the Premier Consolidated Company. There is a mistake somewhere.

D. B. MCKILL.

Vancouver, B. C., May 26, 1923.

(Ed.—This correction has been made already in a letter from Mr. McKill.)

GIRL GUIDES.

To the Editor:—Through the medium of your paper I think a word of praise and congratulation is in order to the officers and Guides of the Victoria District Girl Guides. Great credit is due the girls for their smart turnout in the parade on the 24th, and for their part in undertaking the long and tedious march in the procession. To many enthusiastic supporters of this splendid movement it was a gratifying sight to see the girls in their blue uniforms, wearing the badges which stand for efficiency in so many useful accomplishments, swinging along the route. In contrast to this was the somewhat lifeless display of the Boy Scouts, who, I understand, are prominent in every procession—except, alas, in the Victoria world. I do not wish for one moment to disparage their effort towards the procession, but judging by the reception given the Guides all along the route, I'm sure we would rather have seen the Scouts "on parade" than loitering on a float. To the Guides, therefore, I wish to offer my hearty congratulations and good wishes to the Scouts a warning to look to their laurels, as the Guides will soon show them the way, in the carrying out of the spirit of chivalry and loyalty in their daily life as citizens of our great Empire.

W. E. A. BARCLAY.

1324 Lyall Street, Esquimalt.

THANKS FOR SERVICES.

To the Editor:—I should be glad if you would allow me to thank the whole of the Pageant company who so pluckily stuck to their work in spite of rain-soaked dresses, and in spite of the fact that the audience invaded the stage back and front, mingling with the performers, blocking the entries and breaking down the fences, so that it was impossible to produce the play as rehearsed. The intention was to ask the audience to sit on the grass, in which case all would have been able to see, but the general invasion was too much for me. I feel that this explanation is due to the public.

My thanks are also specially due to Mrs. Radioune, who undertook the entire task of getting together the decorations, and also to a number of the performers. Mrs. J. C. Newbury and Mrs. George Hibberd, who worked for weeks on the decorations, also merit my thanks. Many thanks are also due to Mr. Herbert Kent for his tireless work in connection with the music, and to Mr. Fletcher who so kindly lent a reliable piano in the face of the weather; to Mrs. Wain for her invaluable assistance at the last moment at the piano; to Mr. J. Douglas Macey for composing the tune for the finale; to Mr. Frank Sehl who worked so hard to keep the audience amused with community singing during an unavoidable wait, and to many others who gave freely of their time to help.

I regret that untoward conditions prevented the performance being given as at the dress rehearsal.

W. TAYLER.

Pageant Director.

Victoria, B. C., May 28, 1923.

PUBLICITY BUREAU SENDS INFORMATION

Prairie People to Get Wine Recipe With Every Crate of Berries

The Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau has issued its second mailing slip of interesting facts about Vancouver Island. This and other publicity literature is being sent all over the continent, with the purpose of influencing the trend of tourist-traffic and immigration of home-seekers and investors in this direction.

An interesting and novel idea has been conceived by the bureau of late, and takes the form of a cardboard slip on which are printed several articles of information which may be of interest to many. These slips are being sent to the prairie provinces with every crate of strawberries from Victoria. In all 50,000 mailed slips have one of these slips of information.

On these information slips is a recipe for loganberry wine, one of the most delicious berry drinks and equal in flavor to the finest claret. The Publicity Bureau announces the following recipe: To 5 pounds of loganberries, add 5 quarts of clear, cold water. Let this stand in a stone jar or wooden vessel for 48 hours. Strain and strain through two thicknesses of cheese cloth and add 5 pounds of granulated sugar. Let this ferment for two weeks in a stone jar, tied down with perforated brown paper. When fermentation ceases, strain, bottle, cork and seal. Nothing is more delicious than this wine as a cooling summer beverage.

The following is a list of interesting facts about Vancouver Island: There are now 6 commodious ferries connecting Vancouver Island with the Mainland.

"188,628 cases of salmon were packed and shipped from Vancouver Island last year. Each case weighs 48 pounds."

"1,200,000 baskets of Victoria strawberries will be eaten on the prairie this summer."

"Per capita Victorians have larger savings bank accounts than any other citizens in the Dominion of Canada."

"\$500,000.00 worth of Portland cement is produced in Victoria annually."

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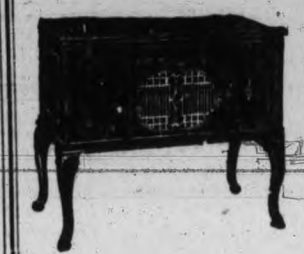
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"The Astro-Physical Observatory was built near Victoria by the Dominion Government because Victoria has the best climate in Canada."

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Published by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, May 29—5 a. m.—The barometer is abnormally low over this Province and rain has been general on the Pacific Slope and in Manitoba and Saskatchewan. Frosts are reported in Alberta.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.62; temperature, maximum yesterday, 59; minimum, 49; wind, 4 miles S. W.; rain, trace; weather, rain.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.62; temperature, maximum yesterday, 58; minimum, 49; wind, 4 miles S. E.; rain, 80; weather, rain.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.54; temperature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles S. E.; rain, 42; weather, rain.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.56; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 42; wind, calm; weather, fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.66; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 44; wind, calm; rain, 98; weather, cloudy.

Tatooish—Barometer, 29.60; temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; minimum, 48; wind, 13 miles S. W.; rain, 54; weather, cloudy.

Gu'Appelle—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 74; minimum, 52; rain, 10.

Winnipeg—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 80; minimum, 64; rain, 1.50.

Temperature.

Max. Min.

Pentteton 68 48

Grand Forks 68 48

Calgary 64 29

Edmonton 64 28

Toronto 70 48

Ottawa 68 48

Montreal 70 48

St. John 68 48

Halifax 66 48

BOTH WRONG

The oldest inhabitant was entertaining his grandson with stories of the severe winters he had experienced as a young man.

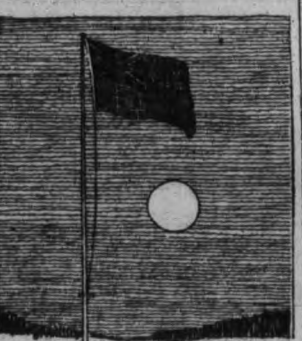
"I remember one very bad winter," said the old man, "when it was so cold that the river here was frozen nearly solid, and the thermometer stood at fifteen degrees below Celcius, and—"

"Below what?" asked the boy.

"Below Celcius. That's a very hot place in Egypt, and when it freezes there it's mighty cold, so they say that the temperature is so many degrees below Celcius."

"Oh, I didn't know that," said the boy. "I thought it was called Nero, after the man who fiddled during the Fire of London."

BLUNDERS



What discourtesy to the flag is shown here?

The answer will be found among to-day's want ads.

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WESTERN DELEGATE MAY VISIT LONDON

Economic Conference Party From Canada May Be Reinforced By Dr. King

"The Victoria Chamber of Commerce fully endorsed the action taken by the Vancouver

Board of Trade in asking that the Government appoint the Hon. Dr. J. H. King as one of the representatives of Canada at the Imperial Economic Conference at London in October next," said Commissioner George I. Warren this morning. The Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday were in favor of Dr. King's appointment.

Other gentlemen who will be Canada's representatives are the Hon. W. S. Fielding, Minister of Finance; the Hon. E. L. Layton, Minister of Marine and Fisheries; and the Hon. E. M. Macdonald, Minister of National Defence. It was felt by the Vancouver Board of Trade that the party should be reinforced by a resident of British Columbia, well acquainted with this province's affairs. Since British Columbia is so bound up with the international affairs of the Empire on the Pacific, it is essential that someone be present at the coming conference, who has a thorough knowledge of B. C.'s problems and affairs. The Vancouver Board believes Victoria is entirely in agreement with these views.

Consequently, although no fault is to be found with the already appointed members of the representative body from Canada, British Columbia as a whole, would like to see at least one of the party a man who knows the West. If Dr. King cannot attend the Conference some other suitable delegate should be chosen, the Vancouver Board of Trade has informed the Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King.

BABY SPEAKS

"So this is the baby, eh?" said the bachelor. "Bless his little tootsies—watches! Watch me tickle 'em ribs."

The genial one proceeded to play ragtime on the unoffending infant's ribs, foolishly imagining the child was enjoying it.

The up-to-date child stood it for some time, and then cried out: "Mother, will you inform me whether the deplorable condition of this person is due to permanent dementia or spasmodic and intermittent insanity?"

THE RELATION OF BRAINS TO FOOD.

A great artist, when asked what he mixed his colors with, replied "Brains."

Brains mix as well with foods, yet they are entirely unemployed in the feeding problems of civilized races. If we used brains in this connection, we would know that refining out of our most important foodstuffs, the grains, the alkali upon which the blood depends to keep it non-acid, must have serious consequences to the race. Uncivilized races have no cancer, goitre, tuberculosis, heart, kidney liver or other disease of civilized races, until they adopt civilization's foods. Having lived upon alkaline whole grains, milk, nuts, beans, eggs, vegetables, fruits, when they take to white flour, refined cereals, white sugar, etc., as subject to disease as civilized races are. Knowing this, if we mixed brains with our food habits, we would reduce to a minimum the use of acid white flour, refined cereals, sweets, meats, etc., and live more largely upon alkaline whole grains, milk, nuts, greens, fruits, etc. Denmark did so during the war and reduced the death rate thirty-four per cent. in one year. So might we.

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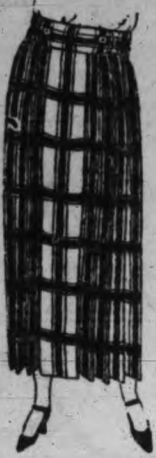
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Gowns of fine white cotton, neatly trimmed with narrow lace edging; odd lines. Regular \$1.25. Clearing at 75¢

"Gertrude" Petticoats, trimmed with narrow lace and embroidery. Values at \$1.50 for . . . 75¢ —Infants, First Floor

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Women's Combinations, without sleeves, with wide leg and loose knee. They are lace trimmed and have lace yokes; sizes 36 to 40. Special at, a pair . . . \$1.00

Women's Fine Rib Cotton Drawers, with loose knee and lace trimmed; closed style; sizes 36 to 40. At, a pair . . . 65¢

Children's Knit Bloomers, with elastic at waist and knee, with gusset. At, a pair . . . 50¢

Women's Summer Weight Vests, with short and no sleeves or opera tops; sizes 36 to 40 . . . 35¢

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Women's Bloomers, with elastic at waist and knee, reinforced with gusset, white, blue, flesh and black. At 75¢ and . . . 65¢

Women's Summer Weight Vests, with short and no sleeves; bias tape top, fancy lace yoke and opera tops; sizes 36 to 44. At . . . 50¢ —Women's Knit Underwear, First Floor

Children's Cotton Bathing Suits—90c

Cotton Bathing Suits, suitable for boys or girls; navy trimmed with orange, white or red. They have round neck and are made with skirt. Sizes 2 to 12 years, at, a suit . . . 90¢ —Children's, First Floor

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Women's Linenette Underskirts—\$1.00

Underskirts, well made from a good grade linenette and finished with a wide, scalloped hem or pleated flounce. Special at . . . \$1.00 —Whitewear, First Floor

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AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

Royal—"Festival of Art."
Capitol—"The Town That Forgot God."
Dominion—"The Glorious Adventure."
Pantages—Vaudeville.
Columbia—"The Yosemite Trail."

is through her he learns to have faith in God and man.

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CAPITOL

TO-DAY

The Town That Forgot God

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Mary Pickford in "Daddy Long Legs," to be shown at Royal Victoria four days commencing to-morrow.

now famous classic, "Over the Hill," made this remarkable screen drama. The cast is said to be one of notable ability.

DOMINION

One of the real high lights in "The Glorious Adventure," J. Stuart Blackton's first Prizma color photoplay production now showing at Dominion theatre under an Allied Producers and Distributors Corporation release, is the midnight marriage scene in which Lady Diana Manners, as Lady Beatrice Fair, is wedded in Newgate Jail to Bulfinch, arch criminal condemned to be put to death, in order that she may escape her debts according to an old provision of Seventeenth Century English law.

The role of Bulfinch is played by Victor McLaglan, who has had an exceptionally varied career which gave him the equipment necessary for a role which had been extremely difficult to cast. He had won world-wide fame as a boxer when, after the war, he decided to become a film actor. His combination of physique, striking virility and sympathetic personality made his first film role a great success. Mr. McLaglan has his fourth role in the Blackton production and is ideally fitted for the role he plays in "The Glorious Adventure."

COLUMBIA

Lovers of moving pictures last night were greeted by a production of particular merit. "The Yosemite Trail," a Fox picture starring Dustin Farnum, has much to commend it. The photography reveals the glorious beauty of the Yosemite Valley, a fitting background for the action which runs along smoothly, whipping up to arousing climax at the finish.

Dustin Farnum, as popular on the screen as on the stage, contributes a well balanced performance in the development of a dramatic and dif-

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BIG TIMBER BOOM AT COWICHAN LAKE USING 1,000 MEN

Half Million Feet Logs and 60,000 of Big Timbers Now Daily Output

Cowichan Lake, May 29.—As a result of the great boom in the lumber industry, the number of men now working in the logging camps around the lake here has been brought up to the 1,000 mark.

There is also a big gang at work constructing the new line of railway for the Victoria Lumber Company and the C. P. R. into Bear River from the present end of the C. P. R. line at the beginning of the lake.

More than 500,000 feet of logs are going out from the lake over the railway line every day. They are dumped at salt water at Chemainus or Crofton to be used by some of the Island mills or sold in the Vancouver and Bellingham markets.

Another big camp is going in along the river a few miles from Riverside, with \$100,000 worth of equipment now being placed.

Besides the logs that are shipped out over the C. P. R. line, Jesse James' Mill, 10 miles up the lake, is cutting 60,000 feet of heavy timbers a day. This is being shipped direct to the Eastern States.

Vancouver wholesale houses have been reaping a harvest here with so much activity and such big forces employed. While not a single Victoria commercial traveler is reported as having registered during the winter, the place has been swarming with Vancouver wholesale representatives.

COWICHAN GOLFERS WON EVENT FROM NANAIMO PLAYERS

Special to The Times.
Duncan.—A friendly match was arranged for the week-end between eighteen Nanaimo golfers and eighteen of the Cowichan Golf Club. Only seventeen from Nanaimo, however, were able to make the trip to Duncan, and Mrs. Meakin (Nanaimo) kindly filled in for the foursome.

Half a point was scored for the first nine holes, half a point for the second nine, and one point for the match.

The full scores were as follows: Nanaimo players being mentioned first:
D. M. Grant 1½ vs. H. F. Brown ½.
McFarlane 1½ vs. H. B. Heyworth ½.
W. W. Mitchell ½ vs. W. W. Burdock 1½.
Dr. Margeson 2 vs. K. F. Duncan 0.
R. Hindmarch 0 vs. A. H. Peterson 2.
F. Ford 0 vs. Lieut.-Col. Collard, C.R. 2.

A. Glaholm 0 vs. G. G. Share 2.
B. Wilker 0 vs. Capt. Williams 2.
McIntyre ½ vs. Brig.-Gen. Spaight, 1½.
Cunningham 0 vs. J. S. Robinson 2.
Coleman 0 vs. A. Day 2.
J. K. Simpson 0 vs. W. L. B. Young 2.

Mont 0 vs. A. H. Lomas 2.
A. Leighton ½ vs. E. W. Carr Hill-ton 1½.
Meakin 0 vs. S. Wright 2.
Canliffe 0 vs. H. W. Dickie 2.
Dow 0 vs. H. Harper 0.

Foursomes.
McFarlane and Grant 1½ vs. Prevost and Heyworth ½.
Margeson and Mitchell ½ vs. Burdock and Duncan 1½.
Hindmarch and Ford 0 vs. Peterson and Col. Collard 0.

Mrs. Meakin and Glaholm 0 vs. Share and Williams 1½.
McIntyre and Cunningham 0 vs. Gen. Spaight and Robinson 2.
Simpson and Coleman 2 vs. Day and Young 0.

Leighton and Monk 0 vs. Lomas and Hilton 1½.
Meakin and Canliffe 0 vs. Wright and Dickie 2.

Matches are being received now for the Burdock cup competition, on the Duncan links. Entries must be in before Wednesday, May 30, play to commence on Saturday, June 2.

NOTED SPORTSMEN VISIT COWICHAN FOR FISHING FUN

They Go Up Lake and Down River Accompanied By Sports "Pros"

Excitement Expected as Plans Are Made for Great Cougar Fight

Riverside, Lake Cowichan, May 29.—Barrington Deacon, noted sportsman of London, Eng., here, accompanied by Mrs. Barrington Deacon and Miss Junor, sampling the world-famous Cowichan River fishing. He has been here for ten days. Last Sunday he brought in 19 trout, all big ones, the largest being 4½ pounds. He is a keen fisherman and is enjoying the sport.

Another noted man here just now is Lt.-Col. C. E. Williams of Rangoon and London. He stopped off on his trip between the Orient and England to take in the sport at Cowichan, which he has heard of in his travels in various parts of the world. Because of his traveling schedule he is not able to stop more than a few days. Mrs. Williams is with him. On Sunday they were taken up the lake by Ken Gillespie, professional sports adviser here, for some open water fishing.

A lot of excitement is looked for here following the arrival to-day of Paul C. Laidlaw and Tent Ross moving picture men. They will make films of fishing scenes and the landing of the famous Cowichan River trout and of the fish hatchery and of the logging camps.

The feature of their visit, however, will be a wild cougar fight. This is to be staged for the cameras by Dad James. These fierce animals, first cousins to the tiger, are caught in the distant mountains by Mr. James and his band of cougar dogs, which have been specially bred from a bloodhound strain. Preparations are being made so that the moving picture operators will be kept free from danger should these animals get beyond control.

W. E. Bauscher, of Seattle, who casts a wicked net across to Victoria and up the Island for a couple of days fishing here. He had good luck.

G. J. Jackson, of Victoria, an enthusiastic fisherman who has operated with his rod in most of the famous fishing rivers of Ontario as well as in the Interior on the coast of B. C., came up at the end of last week. He went down the river with a boatman to some of the rapid waters where he cast. He has had fair luck, although the bad weather since the 24th has been completely against fishing. Mrs. Jackson, who is also developing into a neat fisherman and flinger, had quite successfully accompanied her husband and even went down the river with him.

A Vancouver sporting party which came over for some Cowichan life consisted of R. Black, K. Black and E. A. Munro.

J. S. Alexander, a forestry expert, of Victoria, has also been enjoying himself here.

OAK BAY COMPLAINS OF FIRE SERVICE

City Firemen Slow in Reaching Fires, Council Is Told

Fire protection rendered by the City Fire Department to Oak Bay Municipality during the last few weeks has been unsatisfactory, according to an official complaint laid before the City Council by the Oak Bay Council last night. The complaint was referred to the city fire wardens and Fire Chief Vernon Stewart for report.

The Oak Bay Council's communication stated that Victoria firemen, quartered at the Duchess Street Hall, had been slow in arriving at two recent Oak Bay fires.

"At the first fire only two men arrived with the apparatus and it was not until an adjoining house also caught fire that further help was sent for," the Oak Bay Council declared.

"At the second fire, where we are informed an inmate was in danger for a time, three men attended, but there was not sufficient hose to fight the fire from two hydrants."

"There is no suggestion of criticism or complaint regarding the actual work done by the firemen after they had reached the scenes of the fires. It is suggested, however, that with better service the property loss would have been reduced."

METCHOSIN EVENT

Special to The Times

Metchosin.—A fitting wind up to the recent activities in which Metchosin took part was the tea given by the Metchosin Women's Institute in the School House on Monday afternoon, when the ex-Queen of Agriculture and the Maids of Honor, in their full regalia, were the guests of honor. Among the many guests were noticed Dr. and Mrs. C. P. Brown, of William Head Quarantine Station, while the Metchosin Farmers' Institute was represented by C. E. Whitney-Griffiths, president, and H. G. Pierce, first vice-president.

All the school children of both Metchosin and William Head were present, and enjoyed a delightful hour in games and general frolic. A delicious tea was served by the members of the Institute, after which group photographs of the children and the "Royal Party" were taken to commemorate the event, and the guests took leave of their hostesses, expressing their pleasure in the delightful afternoon spent.

Medical Examination.
Dr. Richard Felton, School Medical Inspector, assisted by Miss H. G. Kelly, nurse in charge of the Equimait Rural Nursing Service, will examine the children attending the Happy Valley School on Friday afternoon, when all parents are invited to attend.

"The true secret of success," said the financier, "is to find out what people want."

"And the next thing," someone suggested, "is to give it to them."

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Motion pictures are in operation on the following ships: The S. S. Empress of Russia, Asia, Australia, Canada, Scotland, Britain and France, the S. S. Montclair, Minnesota, Montrose, Mar- loch, Montclair, Metagama and Melita. Films of an educational nature are being supplied by the Department of Colonization and Development of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Settlers on their way to Canada thus have an opportunity of acquiring a definite knowledge of the country for which they are bound, while tourists and other passengers find in the films an additional diversion and entertainment during the trip. It is believed that these pictures, characteristically Canadian in every way, will be the best possible way to advertise Canada. The films are of Canadian manufacture, the product of one of the newest of Canadian industries.

Ships at a Glance

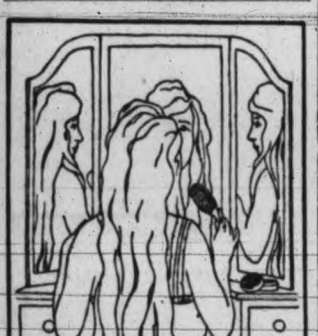
Ships to Arrive.
 Astyanax, Liverpool, June 4.
 Proteus, Hongkong, June 7.
 Africa Maru, Hongkong, June 11.
 Makura, Sydney, June 23.
 Achilles, Hongkong, July 4.

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ALASKA INQUIRY BEFORE COMMONS

A. W. Neill of Comox-Alberni Startles House With Charges
 Condemns Investigation and Asserts "Blood Money" Insurance Involved

Ottawa, May 29.—Complaining that material evidence had not been acquired in the inquiry which could have been procured, A. W. Neill, Independent, Comox-Alberni, brought up in the House yesterday the wreck of the Alaskan, which went down with the loss of eleven lives off Vancouver Island last January. Mr. Neill suggested that the wreck commission which investigated the wreck was either "careless or incompetent or both."

Mr. Neill produced a piece of chain which had figured in the evidence. This, he said, was a limber chain from the wreck and a sample of the equipment of the boat. He wanted the Government to see "the ends of some links were as thin as paper." The report of the Commission had said the wreck was due to the violence of the gale and an annex to that report had stated that evidence presented by reputable persons was to the effect that when she left Victoria, the hull and equipment of the Alaskan were seaworthy. Mr. Neill added that the reputable persons were people interested in showing that the vessel was seaworthy.

Mr. Neill held that the boat had become disabled and this, he believed, was because the tubes of the boiler had burst and put out the fire. A former engineer had warned that the boilers should be retubed.

Insurance "Blood Money"
 The vessel had been bought for \$8,000 and immediately insured for \$9,000. The extra profit, declared Mr. Neill, was "blood money" made at the risk of men's lives. "The owners were guilty of risking lives for careless greed," he said.

Mr. Neill suggested that all vessels of over 50 or 75 tons should be inspected to see that their hulls were in a seaworthy condition. At present all vessels over 150 tons were required to have this inspection, but the dropping of the limit would include a large number of ships which were constantly in danger of accident. He also advocated the institution of a wireless directional finding station on Vancouver Island and the improvement and maintenance of the trail along the coast.

Hon. G. P. Graham, the Minister of Marine, was unavailable absent. He suggested that the item in the marine estimates under discussion stand over until members could read the speech of Mr. Neill and give it some consideration.

HAS SULPHUR FOR PORT ALICE MILLS

The Kingsley Navigation Company's steamer the Red Bird, is due to arrive at Port Alice to-day with 1,400 tons of sulphur from Galveston, Texas. The vessel's movements after discharging her cargo, has not yet been ascertained, but it is thought that she will load lumber while on this coast.

Pilot Barter boarded her off the Cape.

INTER-COASTAL SERVICE SOON TO BE REALIZED

Canadian Company Reorganizing; Three Vessels in Service; Montreal to B. C. Ports Via Panama to Be Inaugurated

It was definitely learned in shipping circles this morning that an inter-coastal service from Montreal to Victoria and Vancouver would soon be established. Messrs. Dingwall and Cotts, of Vancouver, will be the agents for the steamship line on the Pacific coast and three vessels, or more, are expected to operate in the service. The S. S. Margaret Coughlan, which is in B. C. waters, the S. S. City of Victoria, which is on her way out from England and recently put into the Azores, and the S. S. City of Vancouver.

These vessels were built for the British Canadian Steamship Company, but this company is being reorganized for the new service. It is the intention to carry on a freight service between the Atlantic and Pacific seaboard to Canadian ports. Montreal will be the vessel's final destination on the Atlantic side and Vancouver on the Pacific coast.

With the inauguration of this service it will be the first time that any regular freight service will have been given between the two Canadian coasts via the Panama Canal.

GUN IS SEEN ON RUM CRAFT'S DECK

U. S. Agents Say Yacht Off Virginia Capes Armed

Norfolk, Va., May 29.—Coastguard officials on duty here announced to-day they would report to their Washington headquarters that the steam yacht Istar, one of the members of the rum fleet off the Virginia Capes, after deck. The gun has been seen by officers on board cutters which have been on patrol near the yacht and is believed to be either a six-pounder or a three-inch rifle.

Believe Liquor Aboard.
 The coastguard is continuing its patrol off the Capes in an effort to break up liquor smuggling operations. Instructions were issued to-day to seize the British auxiliary schooner Monarch if she should pass within the three-mile limit for any purpose. The coastguard officials said they believed she was carrying liquor under guise of legitimate commodities.

It was announced that cutters were on the lookout also for the steamship Mohave, reported to be headed toward the Virginia Capes.

GASBOAT BURNS

Marshfield, Ore., May 29.—The gasoline fishing boat Fox was destroyed by fire yesterday, after being stranded on the north spit at the entrance of Coos Bay. Captain Peters and a helper were aboard and started to cross the bar when the engine broke down. The boat was washed over the submerged jetty and stranded on the spit.

MEN DESERTED SHIP

Four men, Alfred Street, James Anderson, John J. Riley and George Hammack, members of the crew of the S. S. El Abeto, which completed discharging oil at Esquimalt last night, were arrested for desertion of the ship. Just when the El Abeto was ready to pull out last night these four men, two oilers and two firemen, were seen throwing their baggage to the wharf. They were secured by Provincial Police Officers Owen and McPhail, but refused to rejoin the vessel and were taken to the city goal at the instance of the master of the ship, Captain Iverson. The complaint of the men is against an engineer. An effort was made to have them forget their troubles and rejoin the vessel but without avail.

A baboo, or native clerk, in India who prided himself on his mastery of the English tongue and skill in its idiom, sent the following telegram in announcement of his mother's death:

"Regret to announce that hand which rocked the cradle has kicked the bucket."

RUSSIAN FIREMEN STRIKE ENDS ABOARD TRANSPORT MERRITT

Filipine Crew Is Wirelessly for and Russians Work in Harmony

Manila, May 29.—(By the Associated Press)—The "strike" of the Russian firemen crew on the American transport Merritt, en route from Manila to San Francisco with 540 Russian refugees, has been settled and peace now reigns supreme, according to wireless messages received to-day from Captain Randall, in command of the transport.

Before leaving Manila a Russian crew was assigned to the Merritt's fireman. But it seems the Russians were unable to maintain steam in the vessel's boilers and Saturday, about 100 miles from Olongapo, the new fire tenders "threw up the sponge" and quit. Captain Randall was forced to take command of the vessel and the Merritt's crew. They were transferred to the transport that night and the Merritt resumed her voyage to San Francisco.

SEATTLE SHIPPING.

Seattle, May 29.—A waterfront rumor here is that the Weyerhaeuser Timber Company, which recently bought the Hanley and the Pomona from the Shipping Board, is seeking several other vessels from the government. Crafts names as the Abraham Lincoln, tied up at Hog Island, Philadelphia, and the West Hartland, lying in Lake Union here.

Seattle's trade with Germany shows a gradual increase, and imports of a much greater variety are being received here, according to the report of Port Warden Paul Edwards for April.

Imports from Germany during April totalled 1,307 tons, valued at \$93,994, and included drugs, chemicals, glass, toys, steel, steel products and iron.

MOTHER WILL FILE CLAIM FOR SON'S DEATH ON SILEAM

Killing of Jacob York Deprives Mother of Only Support

Mrs. York, mother of Jacob York, who was killed aboard the American fishing vessel Siloam, when she was trying to escape from the Canadian Fishery officials, is preparing a claim against the Canadian Government through the American State Department, Seattle advises say.

When the Malaspina fired on the American fishing vessel Siloam, on the West Coast recently, killing Jacob York, fisherman, of Seattle, Mrs. Mary York, 78 years old, was deprived of her only means of support. It is said the cost of burying her son not only took her last dollar, but she was forced to borrow money, she said.

Dispatches from Washington, D.C., yesterday carried the news that the U.S. State Department has rejected the Canadian Government's explanation of the shooting of York and has asked for more information. Capt. John Courage, of the Siloam, and members of the crew have vigorously denied the Canadian claim that the vessel was poaching.



IN RUM RING INVESTIGATION

Prominent men in New York, Baltimore, Pittsburgh and other eastern cities may be brought into the "rum ring" investigation resulting from the seizure of the SS. Yankton, British steamer, off Montauk Point, Long Island. Members of the crew, some of them pictured above, are held as material witnesses.

PRINCESS LOUISE FOR SKAGWAY RUN

The S.S. Princess Louise will be out of drydock this afternoon after being refitted and painted by Yarrow's Ltd. prior to her trip on the first of the summer cruises to Skagway. The vessel has been thoroughly refitted and will enter the Skagway service leaving Victoria on the night of May 31 and Vancouver on June 1.

CANADIAN SHIPPING ACT WAS AMENDED

Hon. Ernest Lapointe Gives Statement on Pilotage Certificates

Ottawa, May 29.—A bill amending the Canadian Shipping Act in regard to the granting of pilotage certificates was given third reading in the House yesterday afternoon.

Hon. Ernest Lapointe, stated that under the law, as it now stands, any master or mate can pass examinations and receive a certificate in certain Canadian ports, even though the pilotage authorities are opposed to granting a certificate.

CANADA REPORTS ATLANTIC NOW FINE

Montreal, May 29.—Concluding a quick voyage from Liverpool the White Star Dominion liner Canada, docked at Montreal at 7:30 a.m. yesterday.

Captain B. J. Smith reported smooth seas all the way across, in contrast with the stormy trip the ship made last month, when she was directed to Halifax on account of unfavorable weather in the Gulf.

Amongst those on the Canada was Mr. A. C. Fotheringham Lyson who for the past three years has been appeal secretary to Lord Londale, treasurer of Charing Cross Hospital, London.

Commenting on the recent political changes in England, Mr. Fotheringham Lyson stated that Mr. Stanley Baldwin was undoubtedly a strong man and what was more, "was a favorite with the crowd."

Another passenger was Captain E. Thomas, skipper of the Leyland Line passenger steamer Cetra for 19 years, until she was torpedoed in June, 1917, with one thousand imperial troops on board off the Isle of Skye.

Among the 267 third-class passengers which the Canada landed at Quebec, was a party of 47 boys between the ages of 12 and 16 years from the London Waifs and Strays' Home, who are en route to Sherbrooke, Que., under the personal direction of Mr. Jos. Frost.

DEUTSCHLAND'S EXPLOIT RECALLED BY SUIT

Baltimore, May 29.—A dispute over the amount of duty owing, between the Treasury Department and Schumaker & Company, consignees, for the cargo of duty-free goods brought to the United States by the German submarine Deutschland on the first undersea trans-Atlantic voyage, was settled to-day when the sum of \$16,000 was mutually agreed upon.

LANDSMAN WILL TRY PACIFIC IN SMALL AUXILIARY LIFEBOAT

Has Religious Problems He Wishes to Solve By Himself

With his final destination the Holy Land and his only means of transportation a small auxiliary sailing craft, little larger than a life boat, Ira Sparks, now at Hawaii, has made up his mind to traverse the wide span of the Pacific Ocean between the Hawaiian Islands and the Orient, on the first lap of his journey to the Holy Land, solely by himself and with little marine knowledge.

"Spark," as the adventuresome mariner is more commonly known, wishes to be alone on the wide Pacific Ocean and there solve many religious problems that have been perplexing him. At present "Spark" is at Hawaii where he is repairing his small craft in which he will make the journey to the Holy Land.

To Hawaiian, Ira Sparks is known as the "pushing boat stowaway," as he arrived in Hawaii from San Francisco aboard the Shinyo Maru in such a box. But before Ira Sparks leaves for the Orient in his rebuilt whale boat he must demonstrate that he can navigate it, and may be compelled to take a trip to Maui and back, if he can do this he may be given a clearance for his trip.

The old boat, which he purchased from the Inter-Island Company, has been built over in accordance with Sparks' own ideas of what a seaworthy vessel should be. It has been decked over leaving only a small opening for entrance to the interior of the boat. In Sparks' opinion she is now a sort of life boat.

However, when the boat was launched he developed a leak, although he had used a combination of pitch and cement, which he said was waterproof. The boat was hauled out on a marine railway, and he is now tacking tin around the keel and the hull to make it water-tight. After this is done he will cover it with a paint preparation.

Sparks came from Peru, Indiana, and is a landsman. His first experience with the sea was in a packing box as a stowaway. He confessed that he has had no previous knowledge of navigation.

He has consulted Captain Kerr, of the Army tug Cuba, and other shipping men along the front and has picked up the rudiments of navigation. He has a sextant and compass and has decided to cross the Pacific in this boat. He has earned enough while at Hawaii to have permitted him to travel steerage, at least, in trans-Pacific boats, and could have been in the Holy Land but for his obsession to sail alone.

FORFEITED GOODS SOLD BY CUSTOMS

Two rifles, 850 gallons of gasoline, six bolts of silk, a quantity of lubricating oil and a large quantity of tobacco comprised the goods sold at the forfeited goods sale by the Customs Department in the warehouse, corner of Broughton and Langley Streets, this morning.

Practically everything was disposed of by the department, only some of the tobacco remaining on their hands. The rifles were sold for a fair price, and the return on the entire sale was quite satisfactory. The sale commenced at 10 o'clock this morning and was completed by 11 o'clock.

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CONFERENCE IS HELD ON EAST BOUND RATES

Representatives of Inter-coastal Lines Meet to Draw Up Plans

San Francisco, May 29.—Six representatives of intercoastal lines met yesterday in the offices of the American-Hawaiian Steamship Line for the purpose of drawing up plans for the formation of a conference to establish eastbound rates. This is the first meeting of canal steamship interests in this city since the dissolution of the North Atlantic westbound conference a year ago. Yesterday's session was devoted to the discussions of eastbound tariff, which is to be ready for presentation August 1. The San Francisco conference is to fix all eastbound rates. Another meeting of the committee of six will be held either Thursday or Friday of this week.

Commissioner of Immigration, J. D. Nagle, is investigating a complaint made by the seamen's union to Secretary of Labor Davis at Washington that aliens have been engaged to work on intercoastal vessels of the Pacific Mail. This, the complaint recites, is in violation of the La Follette Act. The protest is based on the action of the Pacific Mail Company in employing a number of Chinese in the steward's department of the steamer Ecuador, which sailed from this port for New York last Saturday. The steamship company claims it is not violating the law in that the Ecuador, as does the company's other intercoastal steamers, clears from San Francisco for Mexico and Central American ports. They also claim the Chinese were employed in China and not in America.

A new steamship service between France, Tahiti and New Caledonia, by way of the canal, operated by the Messageries Maritimes, a French company, has been announced by representatives of the company here.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B. C., for the month of May, 1923.

| Day | Sunrise | Sunset |
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| 1 | 4:48 | 7:20 |
| 2 | 4:47 | 7:21 |
| 3 | 4:46 | 7:22 |
| 4 | 4:45 | 7:23 |
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| 31 | 4:18 | 7:50 |

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NEWS IN BRIEF

The Women's Auxiliary to the Provincial Jubilee Hospital will hold its regular monthly meeting to-morrow at 2:30 in the Nurses' Home.

The regular meeting of the Esquimalt School Board will be held this evening in the Langston Street School, commencing at 8 o'clock.

A resolution of the Native Sons of Canada urging construction of a logging railroad and wagon road into the San Juan district was endorsed by the City Council last night.

The regular meeting of the Esquimalt Methodist Young People's Society will be held to-night at 8 o'clock. This is Citizenship night. Mr. Cornett will be the speaker and Miss M. Thompson in the chair.

Fishing in Saanich Arm over the week-end two parties had fortunate experiences, the first catching a 32-pound salmon and the other a 48-pound fish. The salmon are running well, it is reported.

The first Gordon Head strawberry crop to appear on the local market were snapped up yesterday as soon as offered. The fruit was of the Marshall variety, of fine color, size and flavor. These berries precede the main crop of Magoons by about two weeks and indicate that the season is this somewhat ahead of last year, despite the delay in ripening caused by the recent welcome rains.

The city police are to-day looking for a man who is alleged to have threatened his wife last night with a .32-calibre revolver. The woman was armed with a knife and the man was seen to leave the house and has since been missing. A charge will follow if the police are successful in capturing the alleged offender.

The last of the Coast Indians who visited Victoria during the Maytime celebrations have now returned to their reservations. Dominion Constable O'Connell reported that they were well satisfied with the entertainment it had been their privilege to witness while in this city. He further stated that the Indians had, one and all, behaved well while they were here, and were not once brought into clash with the authorities.

Arrangements have been completed between the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau and the Gordon Head and Saanich Fruitgrowers' Association whereby the two bodies will share the cost of a large advertising card to be enclosed in fifty thousand crates of berries shipped to the prairies this season. Half the card carries publicity for Victoria and Vancouver Island, the remainder being occupied with recipes for preserves and loganberry wine.

MILITARY ORDERS

First Battalion (Sixteenth Battalion, C.E.F.) Canadian Scottish Regiment—All members of the unit who intend taking part in the regimental camp at Macaulay Plain commencing on Friday next, June 1, will assemble at the Drill Hall, Bay Street, on Thursday next, May 31, at 5:30 p.m. to discuss the final arrangements, dress, plain clothes.

W. MERSTON
Captain and Adjutant

SONG RECITAL

Considerable interest is being taken in the forthcoming song recital to be given on Monday next at the Empress Hotel Ballroom by Denise Parker, the famous Scottish dramatic contralto, and Granville Bantock, the celebrated Irish composer, who during the evening will comment on the songs and accompany the singer. The numbers will be selected from Miss Parker's extensive repertoire, among which will be several songs by Mr. Bantock himself, and some Hebridean and old Highland airs. The plan is now open at Fletcher Bros., where copies of the programme can be obtained.

NOT STORE HOLIDAY

Shops Not Compelled to Close Monday for King's Birthday Celebration

Monday, June 4, a public holiday for the celebration of the King's birthday, is not a holiday for the compulsory closing of stores under the terms of the proclamation issued yesterday. It was explained in a statement from the Attorney-General's Department this afternoon.

The terms of the proclamation are such that shops may close or not as they see fit, but there is nothing to allow them to keep open on the Wednesday half-holiday.

Because of the holiday coming on Monday many provision merchants especially are anxious to meet their trade demands after the week-end. It will be the usual bank holiday for financial institutions, however.

OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral of the late Mrs. Dorothy English Bell took place this morning from the E.C. Funeral Chapel. The hymn sung was "Rock of Ages." The pallbearers were L. Duval, J. Bull, L. Young, F. G. Quick, W. E. Hie and A. Macdonald. After the service the remains were conveyed to Patricia Bay, where they were laid at rest in Holy Trinity Churchyard.

There passed away yesterday Mrs. Ann Barrat, wife of Mr. Joseph Barrat, of 2047 Admiral's Road, in her fifty-first year. She was born in Crewe, Cheshire, England, and had been a resident of this city for the past eleven years. The deceased is survived by her husband, one son, Harry Barrat; one daughter, Mrs. J. E. Horspool; and two grandsons, Obed Avenue; also a mother, one brother and three sisters in England, and one brother and one sister in London, Ontario, and a brother in Medicine Hat. The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon, May 30, at 2 o'clock, at the Sands Funeral Chapel. Interment will be made at Ross Bay cemetery.

Arthur Kelvin Neave passed away yesterday at the family residence, 1320 Liverpool Street, Esquimalt. He was twenty-one years of age and was a native son. The deceased is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edward Neave, three brothers, Sidney, Harold, and U.S.A. Harold and Edwin at home; also two sisters, Mrs. T. Olson, of Vancouver, and Miss Kathleen Neave at home. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon, May 30, at 3:30 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Dr. T. W. Butler will officiate, and interment will be made at Ross Bay cemetery.

START REVISION OF TRADES LICENSES

Council to Make Increases; Merchants Propose New Scale

Active work on the revision of Victoria's trade license schedule will be started by the City Council at a special meeting Friday afternoon. The new licenses will go into effect July 1 and will embody heavy increases in many directions. The licenses will not be quite so high as had been expected at first, however, according to Mayor Reginald Hayward.

The Chamber of Commerce, retail executive has been investigating this scale of licenses to the Chamber directors:

1. Relative to the automobile trade—"That the proposed trade license fee for dealers in new automobiles be as follows: \$100 minimum for firms with fifteen employees and under; \$150 maximum for firms with over fifteen employees. That the trade license fee for dealers in second-hand automobiles be as follows: \$50 minimum for firms with five employees and under; \$75 maximum for firms with over five employees and under. That the license fee for firms with over five employees and under be eliminated and the above fee to apply without additional license fee when accessories are stocked."
2. Relative to the retail grocery trade—"That the proposed trade license schedule be amended to provide that retail grocers be included under separate classification, similar to classification A, but with a minimum of \$20 and a maximum of \$120, no additional license to apply when meats are supplied."
3. Relative to bakers and confectioners—"That the proposed trade license schedule be amended to provide for a minimum fee for bakers and confectioners of \$30 per annum, and additional charge of \$5 per head to be made for each employee over the present classification."

BRIGHT RAINBOW SEEN AT NIGHT

Arc of Brilliant Color Stretched Across Midnight Sky

A superb rainbow, bright with many brilliant streaks of color stretched across the sky north of Victoria at 12:30 a.m. according to C. Braithwaite, engineer of the Campbell Building, who saw this strange phenomenon as he was walking home from work.

"The moon was shining brightly just after midnight but a slight rain was drizzling down," Mr. Braithwaite said to-day. "I noticed a strange kind of streak in the northern sky and soon it developed into a magnificent rainbow, apparently caused by the light of the moon. It was perfectly plain and made up of many colors, but they were not quite the same as those seen in a rainbow in the daylight."

Mr. Braithwaite discussed his discovery with P. Napier Denison, Superintendent of Gonzales Observatory, who said that rainbows at night are very rare but are seen occasionally. The phenomenon has been recorded at the Observatory as a "lunar rainbow."

INSPECT CEMETERY

The inter-municipal Cemetery Board will meet on the site of the new Royal Oak Cemetery at 2:30 tomorrow afternoon. Mayor Reginald Hayward, chairman of the board, announced to-day. The cemetery trustees will make a thorough inspection of the new burial ground.

NEW BRUNSWICK ATTITUDE EXPLAINED

Premier Veniot Makes Plain Statement on Liquor Importation Question

Fredericton, N. B., May 29.—Premier Veniot of New Brunswick said this afternoon that the dispatch from Victoria was somewhat ambiguous. "What we have done," he said, "is to approve of an amendment that would not allow importation of liquors by private party or corporations, but in any province where the Government controls the sale of liquor. If that applies specifically to Quebec and British Columbia, I am not aware of it."

SAANICH FRUIT MEN PLAN FOR SEASON

Growers of District Pleased With Growing Popularity of Island Berries

A large meeting of the Saanich Fruitgrowers' Association was held yesterday evening at the Temperance Hall, Kestling. Matters of detail in connection with the shipping of fruit were discussed and plans for the season considered.

The increasing popularity of the Vancouver Island berry and the necessity of a good pack of full weight was discussed and enforcement of grade approved unanimously. Contracts for a considerable quantity of strawberries have been placed with the jam manufacturers in Victoria and Vancouver. Approximately 300 tons are expected to be disposed of through this source, but these orders are expected to be materially increased during the season. It is expected that fully fifty cars of strawberries will be shipped to the prairie market by the Gordon Head and the Saanich Associations. Several cars of loganberries will also be shipped.

Black currants, raspberries and gooseberries have already been placed with the jam manufacturers. Provision of strawberry pickers from Victoria was discussed, and arrangements made for the picking of the Marlett, superintendent of the women's branch of the Provincial Labor Bureau, to accept registration of pickers. Forty cents per crate or half is the rate for picking, with a minimum of \$1.50 a day. The minimum after deduction, was unanimously agreed to by the members.

This year shows a large increased membership of the Saanich association, the total membership now being 215. The Horticultural Department of the Provincial Government will be giving packing demonstrations in the fields in different parts of the district. This was found to be of great benefit in the past and gives the new growers an opportunity of learning the work.

The local market will be well taken care of with supplies and reasonable prices. It is expected arrangements will be made with the local dealers to supply consumers with fresh jam berries in-pails; the price to be settled later. Weather conditions are ideal for a good crop. The season will be earlier than usual and consequently a larger crop is anticipated.

G. C. McLEOD TO BE PUT ON TRIAL

Vancouver Magistrate to Commit Liquor Board Official To-morrow

Vancouver, May 29.—Formal commitment of G. C. McLeod, Liquor Control Board official, on charges of extortion and attempted obtaining of money by false pretences, will be made on Wednesday, according to an announcement made by Magistrate Shaw yesterday afternoon.

Evidence for the defence was submitted during the afternoon session of the police court by J. R. Russell, counsel for McLeod, C. C. Fraser and A. R. Lachance, taking the stand. The first named told of being informed by McLeod that he intended to promise protection to the Lincoln Club in order to find out whether rumors of "protection" being purchased by liquor offenders were true.

McLeod, said witness, told him he had an engagement with a colored man and later got into an automobile outside the Globe Theatre.

On the following Monday witness heard of McLeod's arrest, and at once recalled the conversation, whereupon he at once got in touch with the accused.

Asked by City Prosecutor McKay whether McLeod explained how he hoped to bring about any good result by accepting money from any one for protection, and whether he realized what a serious act it was, witness said he "figured out" knew more about the business than he did."

Made Reports.
A. R. Lachance, Provincial constable, attached to the Liquor Control Board, said he had made reports to Mr. McLeod, as his superior officer, on the beer club situation.

He had pointed out that the Lincoln Club was one of the worst of the city, and was frequented by colored men and white girls, and he understood Mr. McLeod was trying to get evidence, as he believed some protection was being given.

WILL CALL EVIDENCE AS TO INTENTION

Mortgage in Chelberg Suit Held Meaningless in Part

Entering on its second day in Supreme Court the action of The King versus the Chelberg Shipyards progressed before Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald this morning, with J. B. Clearihue and William Strath for the plaintiff and H. A. Maclean, K. C., for the defendants. The Crown, in the person of the Federal authorities, is suing for the foreclosure of an \$18,711 mortgage on the chattels of the shipyards. The defence sets up in response that there is nothing due under the mortgage and on the contrary that the balance is heavily the other way.

To-day the Court entered on an examination of the technical phases of the agreements entered into between the Crown and the Victoria Shipyards, Ltd., and the latter with the defendants during the contracts to build four wooden craft at the local yards. Only one boat was built, the Simon P. Toimle, now lying at the Opa Point Piers after her voyage to Australia.

Col. A. W. R. Wilby was examined yesterday in proof of the mortgage agreement and other matters. The trial will occupy the remainder of the day, it is expected as witnesses are to be called this afternoon dealing with the intention of the parties making the mortgage, held to be meaningless in part.

Mr. Justice Macdonald announced yesterday that he would reserve the point raised by Mr. Clearihue for the plaintiff that the Court had no jurisdiction to hear the counterclaim set up by the defendants as a set off to the mortgage.

Resuming Mr. Maclean argued that there was nothing due under the mortgage which, through an error in its last paragraph cited the grantee three times as the grantor, an obvious error. If this were construed by the court as by the defendant, that the defendant had the right to set off outstanding claims against the mortgage, then nothing was due under the mortgage, but the balance would be heavily in the other direction.

Mr. Clearihue interposed to object that the paragraph complained of was senseless and that the plaintiff was asking for a set off in the mortgage, contended the plaintiff, said Mr. Clearihue. At this stage the mortgage assignment and original agreements between all parties were entered in evidence.

MOOSE WILL TAKE CHARGE OF CITY

(Continued from page 1)
Thursday, June 7.

9 a.m.—Registration of delegates at Chamber of Commerce.
9:30 a.m.—Opening of convention. Invocation by Rev. Dr. Campbell. Address of welcome on behalf of Province by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor. Presentation keys of the city by His Worship Mayor Hayward. Welcome on behalf of Chamber of Commerce by President C. T. Cross. Replied by R. J. Weeks, president, Northwest-Moose Association, and prominent Moose, Song, Bro. W. Draper.

10:30 to 12 noon—Business session.
2 to 4 p.m.—Business session.
4 to 6 p.m.—Sightseeing trips for delegates.

6:30 to 7:30—Massed band concert, Parliament Buildings.
8 p.m.—Theatre parties, women of Mooseheart Legion.

8 p.m.—Initiation of large class of candidates, L. O. O. F., Vancouver degree and drill staffs officiating. Followed for competition for Victoria Cup, presented by Victoria Lodge for "best exemplification of ritual."

10 to 12 a.m.—Business session.
2 to 4 p.m.—Business session. Address on "Fraternalism" by Bro. Louis J. Muscek, Dictator of Tacoma Lodge.
3 p.m.—Baseball game, C. P. R. vs. Moose.

4 to 6 p.m.—Band contests, Parliament Buildings; Drum Corps contests, Parliament Buildings.
9 p.m. to 1 a.m.—Monster convention dance, Armories.

Saturday, June 9.
9:30 a.m. to 12 noon—Final session. Election of officers and selection of convention city for 1924.

1 p.m.—Grand parade, headed by prize-winning band, to Willows Grounds.
2 p.m.—Athletic events, drill team contests.
6:30 p.m.—Lacrosse match at Stadium.

8 p.m.—Dance in Chamber of Commerce, under auspices of Seattle Drum Corps.
8:30 p.m.—Wrestling and boxing tournament at Pantages. Chas. Olsen, Albany, vs. Oscar Butler, Portland; for Canadian middleweight wrestling championship. Boxing bouts to be announced. Exhibition



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of boxing by Jumbo and Albo Davies (dustweights).

11 p.m.—Legion Frolic, under auspices of Maple Leaf Legion No. 53.

Sunday, June 10.

Morning—Left open for sight-seeing trips or as may be otherwise decided later.

Afternoon—Departure of delegates, Vancouver and Seattle steamers.

Outside of the actual business sessions and lodge initiation most of the events are open to the general public and tickets are now on sale for the convention dance and can be obtained from any of the local officials and in this connection a Star car will be given as a tombola prize.

Athletic Events.

The athletic events are open to all holding an amateur card and entries for same can be left with W. A. Davies, of the V. I. A. A., under whose auspices they will be staged. It is particularly requested that all decorations will be left standing and added to by the business people. All stores are asked to dress their windows with the colors of the Order, which are red and white, with a moose head as the emblem. Suitable prizes will be given for the best decorated windows and store fronts and judging from enquiries being made competition will be keen.

Every citizen is asked to boost this convention by doing all in their power to make the visitors welcome during their stay in Victoria. The chairman of publicity is the local secretary, J. F. Pearce, phone 7622R, who will be pleased to give any information required.

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ters and Maids of England will hold a military 500 in Harmony Hall Thursday, May 31, 8:30. Good prizes will be given. All arrangements have been made for the holding of a home cooking stall in the basement of David Spencer's on Saturday, June 2. All members are asked to send donations not later than 10:30 Saturday morning.

The St. Jude's Social Guild will hold a meeting at the church on Thursday at 1:30 p.m. All members are asked to make an effort to be present, as there is important business to discuss.

Princess Alexandra Lodge Daugh-

Events to Come

The Unique Club has postponed its five hundred drive that was to be held at the home of Mrs. Marchant to-night, until next Tuesday, June 5.

Just a year ago this month the Girls' Club of the W. B. A. was formed. The girls are holding a birthday social at 1230 Government Street to-night at which they would be pleased to see members and friends from the three Victoria reviews or visitors in the city. The social is at 8 o'clock.

The St. John's Church Men's Society will hold a special meeting to-morrow evening in the St. John's School, when the garden party, which is being given on June 20, will be the subject of discussion. All the organizations of the church are keenly interested in making this garden party the best affair of its kind ever held, and the Men's Society has been asked to superintend the games on that occasion. It is with the object of making the necessary arrangements in that connection that this meeting is called.

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St. Joseph's Hospital Prize-Winning Float



A bevy of pretty, smiling nurses in snowy uniform added much to the attractiveness of the beautiful float entered by St. Joseph's Hospital in last Thursday's parade. The float secured the third prize of \$50 in the section for decorated automobiles.

Photo by Goodenough.

BASEBALL. CRICKET. SPORTING NEWS. GOLFING. SWIMMING.

Oarsmen Encouraged By Regatta Success

J. B. A. A. Bending Every Effort to Make Clean Sweep at N. P. A. A. O. Meeting This Summer; Showing of Senior Four, With Two Beginners in Boat, Against Vancouver Champions on Saturday Gratifying to Coach and Club

Encouraged by their success in the rowing races at the Gorge on Saturday afternoon against crews from the Vancouver Rowing Club, oarsmen of the James Bay Athletic Association are now redoubling their efforts in preparation for the N. P. A. A. O. regatta, which is to be held on Vancouver Island this summer. The Bays have set their mind on capturing the two main prizes to be at stake during the three-day carnival for oarsmen. They want the senior four-oared event and the grand aggregate cup.

The Bays faced the season none too confident of success in the N. P. A. A. O. regatta due to the fact that new crews had to be moulded and it was feared that they could not be in shape in time for the North Pacific classic. But Saturday revealed that Dan O'Sullivan, the veteran coach, who pulled the No. 2 oar, is another beginner, but he is powerful and has good form. Bond, the hefty No. 3, has been rowing for two years, while Hendrick, the bow man, is the only veteran in the boat.

Seniors Impressive

The work of the senior four was particularly impressive and greatly gratifying to Coach O'Sullivan and members of the club. The Bays did not know what they would do for a tip-top crew this summer and the coach has been expecting with a number of men.

The four that had seats in the senior boat on Saturday included two men who had never rowed in a race before. Money, who stroked the crew, is a beginner, but he held his seat together with the knowledge of a veteran. Adams, who pulls the No. 2 oar, is another beginner, but he is powerful and has good form. Bond, the hefty No. 3, has been rowing for two years, while Hendrick, the bow man, is the only veteran in the boat.

This crew will be groomed by Coach O'Sullivan until the N. P. A. A. O. regatta. It is good enough for senior company, but as none of the oarsmen have yet won a junior race the boat will be able to enter both the junior and senior four-oared events.

Won Under "Wraps". On Saturday the Vancouver Rowing Club sent over its best senior crew, which won the main event in the N. P. A. A. O. regatta at Portland last summer, but it proved an easy victim for the local crew. After pulling even for the first three hundred yards the Bays turned on the lead and won by four lengths. The Bays had plenty of reserve and had they been pushed would have finished with better time. The Bays worked under "wraps" all the way.

The race proved a good test for the Bays, and encouraged by their first victory, they will continue their strenuous training in order to improve their form and be fit and ready by the time the N. P. A. A. O. regatta comes around.

Beaten By Cold. The Bays' junior four lost by a length in an exciting race with Vancouver. The locals were unfortunate in being forced to sit in their boat for twenty minutes in a biting wind while the Mainlanders fixed two pins in their boat. O. of the shore. The Bays did not get warmed up until well down the course and at the finish Bob Travis, the stroke, had his crew fighting the gap which separated the boats very rapidly.

A number of other young oarsmen are being schooled by Coach O'Sullivan and the Bays will be well represented in all events this year. The 140-pounders are looked upon as sure winners. The Bays will have some new oarsmen in both the sculling races. The transfer of George Kingsley to Vancouver has robbed the Bays of their sculling champion. George won the senior singles for the past two years.

BALTIMORE REFUSES BIG SUM FOR PLAYER

Baltimore, Md., May 29.—It was learned to-day that Jack Dunn, managing owner of the Baltimore International, refused an offer from the Chicago Americans for Joe Boley, his star shortstop. The amount of his bid was not disclosed, but it is known that Dunn refused \$10,000 offered by the Brooklyn Nationals for Boley early in the season.



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Leading Teams Are Bumped By Cellarites

Day of Reversals in Major Leagues Yesterday; Surprises Much in Order

New York, May 29.—It was the under dog's day, a day of reversals, in the major leagues yesterday, for the teams that played, all the leaders except the New York Yankees, receiving setbacks and the Yankees and five other American League clubs did not play.

The Philadelphia Athletics after taking two out of three from the Yankees were soft pickings for the Boston Red Sox, who won 8-6, and the lowly Philadelphia Quakers won a double-header from the Boston Braves 6-4 and 11-2.

Other reversals included that given Pittsburgh by Chicago 5-3 in 11 innings, while St. Louis beat Cincinnati 5-4 in 10 innings.

A hammer-and-tongs battle was on between Brooklyn and New York, the Robins winning 8-7.

American League.
At Philadelphia..... R. H. E.
Boston..... 8 11 1
Philadelphia..... 6 11 0
Batteries: Quinn, Ferguson and Pincich; Parris, O'Neill, Rommel and Perkins.

National League.
At Boston (First)..... R. H. E.
Philadelphia..... 6 9 0
Boston..... 4 11 3
Batteries: Ring and Henline; McNamara, Oeschger and O'Neill.

At Philadelphia..... R. H. E.
Philadelphia..... 11 16 1
Boston..... 2 7 4
Batteries: Winert and Wilson; Filming, Genish and Gowdwin.

At New York..... R. H. E.
Brooklyn..... 8 12 2
New York..... 7 11 1
Batteries: Grimes and Taylor; Bentley, Blume, J. Barnes and Snyder.

At Chicago..... R. H. E.
Pittsburgh..... 4 9 0
Chicago..... 5 10 2
Batteries: Hamilton, Kuns and Goch; Cheever, Fussell and O'Farrell.

At St. Louis..... R. H. E.
Cincinnati..... 5 12 2
St. Louis..... 6 12 2
Batteries: Couch, Keck and Hargrave; Pfeffer and Almsmith, Clements.

Coast League.
At Seattle..... R. H. E.
Seattle..... 8 12 0
Seattle..... 6 15 2
Batteries: Thompson and Koehler; Pigg, Plummer, Williams and Yarnall.

At San Francisco..... R. H. E.
Vernon..... 2 6 0
San Francisco..... 7 17 0
Batteries: Hall and D. Murphy; Scott and Agnew.

Only two games.
International.
Syracuse, 2; Buffalo, 10.
Toronto, 6; Rochester, 13.
Jersey City, 12; Reading, 13.
Newark, 1; Baltimore, 3.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Louisville, 1; Kansas City, 5.
Toledo, 5; St. Paul, 9.
Columbus, 5; Minneapolis, 3.
Indianapolis - Milwaukee, played Sunday.

WESTERN LEAGUE
At St. Joseph, 3; Tulsa, 4.
At Des Moines, 3; Denver, 6.
At Oklahoma City-Wichita, postponed.
(Only three games).

SPENCER'S NINE TO CLASH WITH SIDNEY

To-morrow afternoon, Spencer's ball team will journey to Sidney to clash with the mill team in a Wednesday league fixture. They will be the first city team to make the trip, and the department store boys are fully confident that when they return a win will be chalked up to their credit.

This will be the third game in the new season, the Bays' defeating Spencer's in the opening game, while the Sons of Canada walloped Sidney in the second. Spencer's are now out after the scraps of the suburban league.

Next Friday night at the Central Park the Sons of Canada and the Hudson's Bays will clash for the leadership of the league, each team having won one game.

QUOTING NOTES
No handicap was held at the Willows on Saturday, but a double-handicap game was played between the secretary's team and a side led by Bill Grant. After a most exciting and strenuous game the former won by one shot. Grant's team led during most of the game but was unable to keep the pins covered and gave the opposing team a chance to get into the lead which they kept until the end, the score being 25-24.

The weekly league games are progressing favorably. F. Taylor, a second league player, winning all his games to date although in the fourth round T. McCaig gave him a hard run, the score being 25-23.

JUNIOR BASEBALL
The Pirates secured a stronger hold on the leadership of the Junior Baseball League when they defeated the Y. M. C. A. 15-5 at the Royal Athletic Park last night. Kay pitched straight ball for the winners, while McConnell, for the losers, twirled a good game but was let down by his teammates in the field.

At Central Park the Oaklanders next defeated the Mete 11-10 in an exceedingly close game. In the eighth inning the winners were one run behind. McDiarmid tied up the score with a home run. In their half of the ninth the Oaklanders boys slipped over the winning run.

WEST HAM FOOTBALL TEAM FINISHES TOUR

Cologne, May 29.—(Canadian Press Cable via Reuters).—The West Ham football team has just concluded a successful continental tour, embracing Prague, Vienna and Budapest. The Londoners defeated a team representing the Rhine army by a score of 5-2.

SCRATCHED IN DERBY
London, May 29.—Lord Astor's bay colt Lighthand, winner of the Craven Stakes at Newmarket last month, and a promising candidate for the Derby next week, pulled up lame after a workout yesterday and has been scratched from the Epsom classic.

London, May 29.—(Canadian Press Cable via Reuters).—The Harry's Jarvis, at 9 o'clock this morning was scratched from the list of eligibles for the Derby, the great classic for three-year-olds to be run over Epsom Downs on Wednesday of next week.

Dorio, a Treasury-Dorio colt owned by Andrew de Rothschild, who appeared in the Derby betting yesterday for the first time, has done well in recent gallops, and is spoken of at Newmarket as a likely outsider.

LEONARD GETS INTO RING WITH MITCHELL

Fighters Will Mix To-night in Chicago Before Big House for Charity

Chicago, May 29.—(Associated Press).—Pinky Mitchell, brother of Ritchie Mitchell, will meet Benny Leonard, world lightweight champion, in a ten-round match here to-night, with indications that the gate receipts will reach \$85,000 to \$100,000.

The contest is sponsored by Chicago society for charity. The match probably will be the last seen in Chicago for some time, as it will be used to test the Illinois anti-prize fight law. Promoter James C. Mulen will be arrested, and the validity of the existing law tested. Contests heretofore have been staged under the protection of court injunctions preventing interference from police.

No Title at Stake.
Leonard's title will not be at stake, as neither he nor the Milwaukee boxer are making the required lightweight figure in 135 pounds.

Resides the Leonard-Mitchell bout, Joe Burman, of Chicago, and Patsy Flannigan, of St. Louis, will meet in another ten-round go. There will be eight round bouts between Harold Smith, of Chicago, and Lew Hurley, of New York, at 118 pounds, and Frank Garcia, of Memphis, and Sammy Mandell, of Rockford, Ill., at 118 pounds. Pewee Kaiser, of St. Louis, will meet Charley Glazier, of Chicago, in an eight-round opener at 122 pounds.

Right Wrist Serves As A Pivot In Putting Says Champion Golfer



PHOTO-DIAGRAM SHOWS HOW SARAZEN MOVES CLUB IN MAKING PUTT, USING THE RIGHT WRIST AS A PIVOT.

Lesson 27 A
BY GENE SARAZEN

In putting, the ball must be struck firmly and evenly. A jerky stroke is disastrous. The clubhead must be taken back slowly and swung through at an even pace. The putting is done wholly with the hands and wrists. The arms, the legs, the body and the head must be kept perfectly still, motionless, throughout the stroke. The eyes at all times must be riveted on the ball.

The club should be taken back at a moderate pace and should be swung through at the same speed. The clubhead should never be lifted more than two inches above the ground. See accompanying diagram for relative position of the club to the ball on the backswing.

The hands should be moved in conjunction with the club, not moved or swayed. Most of the execution in putting is done with the right hand. The shoulder should not be turned or moved even slightly.

The follow through in putting depends on the distance of the ball from the cup. Always lead the clubhead toward the pin on the follow through.

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Native Son Wins a Place On Canadian Bisley Team

Company Quartermaster-Sergeant A. E. Ashe will be the first native son of Victoria to fire a gun in the famous Bisley rifle meet to be held in England in July.

Notification came through from Ottawa last night stating that Sergeant Ashe had been selected to cross the Atlantic as a member of the Canadian Bisley team.

Sergeant Ashe is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ashe of 1866 St. Anne Street, and is in the contracting business with his dad. He was born in this city, and from his young days has been an enthusiastic shot. Before the war he was a marksman of some note, but his service overseas improved his aim, and on his return he earned the reputation of being the best shot in British Columbia.

A Consistent Shot.
Sergeant Ashe is noted not only for his brilliant shooting, but also for his consistent work. He is not of the flash-in-the-pan variety, but week after week during the shooting season he is in excellent scores. For the past three years he has won the honor of being the best shot in British Columbia at the rifle meets held by the British Columbia Rifle Association. Last year he went to the Dominion Rifle Association prize shoot and earned a place on the Bisley team through his fine aggregate score.

Sergeant Ashe left here with the 143rd Battalion and served in France with the 2nd C.M.R.s.

Every Victorian will watch with interest the scores coming through from the Bisley team.

THREE INDOOR BALL GAMES ON TO-MORROW

Three games will be played in the City Indoor Ball Club on to-morrow night at 7 o'clock, according to an announcement made this morning by Major Cobbett, of Work Point. The games will be as follows:

Crusaders vs. Maculay at Crusaders' grounds.
Esquimalt vs. Victoria, West at Esquimalt.

EMPEROR BILLIARDS
In the first round of the Emperor billiard handicap played at the Emperor Billiard Parlor last night McNeill (sch.) best Knowles (R.40), and Kroeger (R.70) defeated Smith (sch.).

The draw for the second round is as follows: Jones (sch.) plays Bainbridge (R.45), Henderson (sch.) vs. Austin (sch.), Lock (R.25) vs. McNeill (sch.), and Day (R.110) vs. Kroeger (R.70).

ALLAN CUP CHAMPIONS WITHDRAW FROM O.H.A.
Hockey Club, holders of the Allan Cup, definitely withdrew from the Senior O. H. A. competition for next season and Niagara Falls was admitted to the senior series at a special meeting last night of the executive of the Ontario Hockey Association.

MAURICE FORGET
Former President Eastern Canada Lacrosse League, who will do his best to make the Oxford-Cambridge visit a success.

UPLANDS GOLF CLUB
The ladies' monthly competition of the Uplands Golf Club, which was to have been held next Sunday, will not take place on account of the men's club championship.

TAILENDERS TO SWING ON TOP
Dogs To-night

Automotives Hope to Win Over C. P. R. in Amateur Ball Game at Stadium

The Automotives and C. P. R. will provide the excitement at the Stadium this evening when they clash for the second time this season in the Amateur Baseball League. In their last meeting the railroaders had an easy walkover. The mechanics, however, have strengthened their lineup considerably by the addition of George Copas and Eddie Hall, and are now confident that they will be able to hand the league leaders a drubbing.

The motemen are at present holding the cellar berth without a win to their credit. They think it would be best to start out by trimming the haughty C. P. R.

The Automotives will most likely put their star twirler, Ray Parfitt, on the mound, and if he is hitting his right stride, the opposing batters will have to step lively to secure hits.

FORBES ON MOUND.
Norman Forbes, the C. P. R.'s mainstay, will take on the heavy work for the railroaders. This bird has been going strong this season, and is pitching in mid-season form so the Automotives will have a hard task in front of them if they expect to chalk up the first defeat beside Norman's name.

The team will be as follows:
C. P. R.—Townsend, Forbes, Jackson, Minnis, H. Copas, Gravelin, R. Copas, G. Allen and Chambers.
Automotives—Ross, Parfitt, Gandy, Newman, Pedderstone, H. Campbell, Milne, Chester, G. Copas, Ed. Hall and Redgrave.

PROTEST DISALLOWED
New York, May 29.—President Haydon of the National League yesterday disallowed the protest of the game with the New York Giants, played here May 19, in which Umpire Quigley refused to allow Echine, the Cincinnati second baseman, to take his base after being hit by a pitched ball.

The Cincinnati club also charged that pitcher McQuinn's delivery was illegal, but Quigley asserted that Bohne deliberately stepped into the ball. He ruled that the decision was solely one of judgment, and therefore not subject to appeal.

SHAMROCKS WIN THIRD GAME FROM WINNIPEG
Winnipeg, May 29.—Tricky playing by Captain Jack Egan gave the Montreal Shamrocks their third victory in the local series here last night, when they disposed of the Nationals, 7 to 4.

Another match has been arranged for this evening when the Shamrocks will oppose an all-star Winnipeg aggregation.

Tilden Thinks Japan Will Master Auzzies

"SIR BARTON" GAINS HONOR AT VANCOUVER

Formerly known as "Victoria Boy," "Sir Barton," a smooth haired fox terrier owned by Oswald Hart, of Port Street, won his championship status at the Vancouver Kennel Show recently by adding further captures to his imposing string. "Sir Barton" achieved the total number of points necessary to lift him to the championship class.

The wildest thing a person can do is to prophesy coming events in the sporting world. You are always wrong—but at least it's lots of fun for you while you're prophesying and fun for the public to kid you after you are proved wrong.

In my last two articles I picked Japan to beat Hawaii in the Davis Cup matches. Now I am bringing my mythical visitors together for the final match in the American zone. I look to see Australia line up J. O. Anderson and Norman Peach in singles and Anderson with either Schlesinger or Stuart in the doubles. Japan will rely on Shimizu and Fukuda in the singles, if the latter makes good against Canada and Shimizu and Kushio in the doubles.

Let me take this match by match. The big fight will be Shimizu vs. Anderson. Contrary to public opinion I believe Shimizu will win.

WEDNESDAY CRICKET GAMES TO-MORROW

After Missing One Week's Games Six Clubs Will Get Into Action Again

Three cricket matches will be played to-morrow afternoon in the Wednesday Cricket League. The games will be as follows:
Broad Street vs. Hudson's Bay, at Beacon Hill.
St. Aidan's vs. United Services, at Oak Bay.

University Military School vs. Spencer's, at Mt. Tolmie.
Broad Street and St. Aidan's are two for the league leadership with two wins apiece and unless the Hudson's Bay and United Services have strengthened up considerably during the last two weeks it is quite possible that the leaders will each add another win to their credit.

The University and Spencer's have each won one game and there will be considerable rivalry to see which is to advance up the ladder and which is to take the elevator down.

Some of to-morrow's teams are: Hudson's Bay—P. N. A. Smith, A. Haines, J. A. Davidson, P. Shrimpton, F. Ackroyd, E. Verrall, A. Weeks, G. Ellis, G. Wharf, D. E. Rose and A. Lawrence.

Spencer's—Lifton (captain), Maynard, Knappman, Johnson, F. Payne, Cohen, Theobald, Galt, Bentley, Wightman, P. Smith.

Then comes the two crucial matches, Fukuda against Peach and the doubles.

The Fukuda-Peach match should be terrifically close and hot. Frankly I have a hunch on the Japanese—but record should give the edge to Australia. It should be a baseline battle with little to choose.

Australians Good in Doubles.
The doubles are slightly in favor of Australia. The doubles game is their strong point, as I was reminded last year, when Patterson and Pat O'Hara Wood hung it on Vin Richards and me so decisively. However, Shimizu and Kushio have proved themselves both game and dangerous and they may pull out. My hope brings me to the realization that there is little to choose between the two teams. I think it will be decided three matches to two, one way or the other, with my hunch following Japan. I would like to see the draw bring the Anderson-Shimizu meeting last on the final day, and the team tie when the players take the court. What a match it would be! Both men are game and great match players.

Ah, well, time alone can tell just how crazy I am. But there is my prophecy for what it is worth. No matter who wins, I am quite sure that the Japan-Australia meeting will produce one of the closest and most exciting Davis Cup ties in the history of the sport. I only hope that I will be on hand to see it fought out.

My next article will be on the European Zone—First Round Matches.
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ALTERATIONS MADE TO FOOTBALL RULES

Substitutes to Be Allowed; Players Stay Out of Penalty Area on Free Kicks

London, May 29.—(Canadian Press Cable via Reuters).—The Football Association yesterday referred to the loss of the association and the start of the recent death of Lord Kinnaird, president, and Charles Cramp, senior vice-president of the football association. All the delegates stood in a minute of silence. Mr. Clegg was elected president.

The proposed alteration regarding substitutes taking the place of injured players by arrangement with the referee is not in any competition, was agreed to.

The proposal that when taking a free kick a player should be allowed to stand outside the field of play and inside the field of play and no player with the exception of the kicker should be within ten yards of the ball, was also agreed to.

The ground committee recommended that Wembley Stadium where the football matches are held should be enclosed and made self-contained, and more entrances made to the terraces, which are divided into self-contained sections and unclimbable fences built between the terraces and the stand.

The council reported that upwards of 5,000 applications had been received from cup final ticket holders for a refund of money representing £4,100, due to their being unable to attend the match. The council proposes to refund this money.

SHIPS AT SEA PLAY CHESS BY WIRELESS

New York, May 29.—Radio chess as a pastime for ship passengers has been inaugurated by the steamships Western World and American Legion, in the South American service. The Western World arrived yesterday with reports of a three-man match between teams on the two ships, which passed each other a few days ago.

The game was called when the ships were 1,500 miles apart, because the radio would not carry any farther and as both teams claimed the victory, decision has been left to the Buenos Aires Chess Club.

MUNICIPAL GOLF LINKS APPROVED BY TORONTO

Toronto, May 29.—A municipal golf course proposition was approved by Toronto city council yesterday. The city will purchase fifty acres at about \$165,000, and the Humber Valley Golf Club will maintain and operate the course.

MERKLE STILL HITTING

Rochester, N.Y., May 29.—Fred Merkle, of the Rochester International League, ran his hitting streak to 22 consecutive games in the Toronto-Rochester game here to-day.

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OLD COUNTRY CRICKET

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PIGEON RACING

The Victoria Racing Pigeon Club held a race from Portland, Oregon, last Saturday, May 26, a distance of 204 miles, in which 56 birds competed. The birds encountered very bad weather, but the returns were very good. The results were as follows:

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Women Tell Each Other How They Were Helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Woodbridge, Ont.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for female troubles. I would have headaches, backaches, pains between my shoulders and under my shoulder-blades and dragging down feelings on each side. I was sometimes unable to do my work and felt very badly. My mother-in-law told me about the Vegetable Compound and I got some right away. It has done me more good than any other medicine I ever took and I recommend it to my neighbors. You are welcome to use this letter as a testimonial if you think it will help some poor sufferer."—Mrs. EDGAR SIMMONS, R. R. 2, Woodbridge, Ont.

In nearly every neighborhood in every town and city in this country there are women who have been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the treatment of ailments peculiar to their sex, and they take pleasure in passing the good word along to other women. Therefore, if you are troubled in this way, why not give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial?

This famous remedy, the medicinal ingredients of which are derived from roots and herbs, has for forty years proved its value in such cases. Women everywhere bear willing testimony to the wonderful virtue of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Most gardeners can grow an abundance of sweet peas, but they can't all get the beautiful large strong looking blooms that everybody likes. The only reliable method is to nourish the plants to grow strong and healthy by using FERTABS.

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They are easy to use and clean to handle. You can carry them around in your pocket and use when and where necessary. FERTABS feed the plant only. No waste and less weeding than when you use a bulky fertilizer. Use them for all your plants—flowers, fruits and vegetables. You'll get a bigger and better growth, and if you market your crop it will mean bigger profits.

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Bear River, N. S.—"My back was so bad I could hardly work. I was always tired out and had no ambition; was nervous and dizzy, and everything seemed to worry me. I also had terrible pains in my right side. I felt badly for about eighteen months and could not do my work as it should have been done. I tried several doctors, and also bought about \$25.00 worth of put up medicines, but I found no relief until I took Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and Doctor Pierce's Anuric (anti-uric-acid) Tablets. I have taken two bottles of the Discovery, and four of the Anuric Tablets, and can say that I feel as well as I have felt for the last ten years. I advise any sufferer to give Dr. Pierce's remedies a fair trial. I cannot recommend them too highly for what they have done for me and shall be pleased to answer any one who cares to write me."—Norman E. Trimmer, R. R. 1.

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CITY RECEIVES HIGH PRICE FOR NEW LOAN ISSUES

All Prices for Bridge, Paying and Refunding Bonds Are Over 98

No More Bonds to Be Sold in U. S.; Refuse to Gamble on Exchange

Victoria city bonds sold for more than \$98 per \$100 last night when the City Council accepted tenders on loans totaling \$1,575,000. The price received for the last city loan was \$97.33.

Burdick Brothers, Ltd., were successful in their bids on two loans—\$90,000 for completing the Johnson Street bridge and \$85,000 for paving Johnson Street from the bridge westward. Their bid was \$98.16 for the \$85,000 loan and \$98.15 for the \$90,000 loan. A. E. Ames & Company, Wood, Gundy & Company and the Dominion Securities Corporation bid \$97.74 on a \$1,400,000 loan to convert local improvement sinking fund shortages. This money, it was explained, would be paid to the city in American funds and, at the present rate of exchange, the tender would actually net the city \$8.01.

The Council last night definitely abandoned the policy of floating loans in the United States. Before accepting bids it passed a resolution in favor of repayment of interest and principal of all loans in Canada or Great Britain. Alternate bids on the basis of repayment in England and Canada and of repayment in the United States had been submitted by the tendering bond companies.

City Lost Money
The Council's decision against the flotation of further loans in the United States was the outcome of the city's recent difficulties in connection with the repayment of interest and principal on bonds floated in Canada and England. After these bonds had been floated city officials promised to meet interest and principal payments in American funds. At this time the Canadian dollar was worth 100 cents in New York. Then when the Canadian dollar dropped a few years ago the city lost considerable money, as it was forced to make these interest payments in relatively high American money.

This, the Council decided last night, was a lesson for the future and a warning against further American flotations. All members but Alderman E. S. Woodward held that the city should not take any chances on the Canadian dollar being at par when the time for interest and principal payments came due.

When bond bids came up for consideration Alderman Andrews urged the Council not to sell its bonds in New York and so risk the necessity of paying a high premium in interest on account of international exchange. He pointed out that the city had lost large sums of money by being forced to pay interest on bonds in American money. This should be a lesson, he said.

"If we sell our bonds in Canada or Great Britain we know what we shall have to repay," he said. "You are going on the assumption that Canadian and British currency will always be at a discount in the United States." Alderman Woodward replied: "I have more faith in my country than that. It's a gamble either way."

Alderman David Leeming, chairman of the Finance Committee, warned against gambling on international exchange rates. The city, he said, should take no chances in this way.

Bids Received.
Bids for the new bonds received last night were as follows:

Messrs. Carstens & Earles, Seattle—For \$85,000 issue (payments to be made in Canada, England or New York); \$97.72 (Canada only), \$97.33; \$1,400,000 issue, \$97.33.

Messrs. Burdick Bros., Victoria—For \$85,000 issue (payments to be made in Canada, England or New York); \$98.16 (Canada only), \$98.15 (Canada or England), \$97.79 (Canada, England or New York); \$1,400,000 issue, \$97.74 (Canada or England); \$97.57 (Canada, England or New York).

British American Bond Corporation and Aemilis Jarvis—\$85,000 issue, \$98.07 (Canada, England or New York); \$85,000 issue, \$98.07 (Canada, England or New York).

A. E. Ames & Co., Wood, Gundy & Co. and The Dominion Securities Corporation, acting in concert, filed the successful tender for the \$1,400,000 for repayment in Canada or England. Carstens & Earles tendered on the bonds, but only for repayment in the United States.

Sporting Goods
84 feet Heavy Trolling Line, value 35c, for 25c
No. 4 and 5 Cowichan 25c
Tennis Ball Carrying 25c
Boys' Horsehide Cover 25c
Baseballs, value 35c, for 25c
—Lower Main Floor

Tin Kettles
3-Pint Size Tin Range Kettles with wood grip drop handles. Handy for quick boiling. Wednesday Morning Special, 25c
each 25c
—Lower Main Floor

Coat Hangers
Bend Wood Coat Hangers with rubber tips to prevent garments slipping. Wednesday Morning Special, 3 for 25c
—Lower Main Floor

25c Specials From The Drug Department
Gibb's Lotus Lily Soap, 35c value 25c
Melba Bandoline, 35c value 25c
Tooth Brushes, 40c value 25c
Tooth Paste, 35c value 25c
Shaving Cream, 35c value 25c
Cold Cream, 35c value 25c

Federal Government Should Administer Soldiers' Housing Scheme Council Says

That the Federal Government take over and administer the Soldiers' Better Housing Scheme, the proposal embodied in a resolution passed by the City Council last night.

The Council's resolution endorsed a resolution proposed by the Nansimo City Council and circulated among British Columbia cities. Local veterans' organizations favor Federal Government administration of the Housing Scheme, the Mayor and aldermen were informed last night.

The Nansimo Council's resolution declares that the Federal Government should take over the Housing Scheme because it is primarily responsible for the rehabilitation of returned soldiers. The Federal authorities, it was stated, could bring about uniformity in the administration of the scheme impossible while it is in the hands of municipalities, the governments of which are constantly changing.



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Feeders of good Turkish towel- ing, white, trimmed pink or blue. Bibs in fine cotton, neatly embroidered: round or pointed shapes. To-morrow morning 25c

Children's Bloomers

Fine Knit Cotton Bloomers, good size; elastic at waist and knee; come in pink and white. To-morrow morning 25c

Infants' Diapers

Diapers of soft quality white flannelette or Turkish toweling; good size. To-morrow morning 25c
—Second Floor

Unbleached Canton Flannel

In a width which will cut to good advantage; closely woven twill back and warm nappy surface; 29 inches wide. Wednesday morning, per yard 25c
—Main Floor

Hair Nets

In cap or fringe shape; all colors. Special Wednesday morning, 3 for 25c

Mending Wool Skeins

In all colors and black; 5c. Special Wednesday morning, 6 for 25c

Coat and Skirt Hangers

Smoothly finished; 15c. Special Wednesday morning, 2 for 25c

Mona Lisa Veils

In black, brown, taupe and navy. Special Wednesday morning, each 25c

Picot Edge Cire Ribbon

Suitable for hat trimmings, etc., in colors of navy, blue, black and Oriental; 1 inch wide; value 35c. Special Wednesday morning, per yard 25c

Men's Lawn Handkerchiefs

Fine close woven lawn, Irish made, with neat 4-inch hem- stitched border. Price, 2 for 25c

Men's Rubber Belts

Strong and comfortable to wear. Made from a good quality of rubber in brown, grey and black, with slide buckle. Price, 25c

China Specials

Pretty Kermis Shape China Cups and Saucers, 25c
each 25c
Plain and Optic Style Clear Glass Tumblers, 25c
4 for 25c

Good English Semi-Porcelain

Cups and Saucers; plain white, each 25c
English Semi-Porcelain Plates to match, 25c
each 25c
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Tooth Brushes, 40c value 25c
Tooth Paste, 35c value 25c
Shaving Cream, 35c value 25c
Cold Cream, 35c value 25c

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50c
Will Buy

Unbleached Sheeting

Sturdy Unbleached Sheeting that will give excellent wear; 81 inches wide. Wednesday morning, per yard 50c

Hemstitched Pillow Cases

Made from heavy quality cotton with a good linen finish; neatly hemstitched; 42 inches wide. Wednesday Morning, 50c
each 50c
—Main Floor

Colored Turkish Toweling

Made to withstand the hardest of wear; nice soft finish. Wednesday morning, 1.00
2 1/2 yards for 1.00
—Main Floor

Boys' Shirt Waists

Made from strong quality percale shirting in plain and cluster stripes; pointed collar and one breast pocket. Sizes to 8 years only. Price 50c

Men's Handkerchiefs

Irish made, bleached cambric Handkerchiefs, regular size with 1/4-inch hemstitched border. Price, 3 for 50c

Men's Cashmere Hose

In fine quality of cashmere in shades of brown, green or black; also heather mixture wool ribbed hose; comfortable and the best of wear. All sizes, per pair 50c

Women's Vests

Vests of fine knit cotton, opera top, strap shoulders or short sleeves; sizes 34 to 44. Special 50c

Women's Bloomers

Cotton Knit Bloomers, large roomy garments, elastic at waist and knee; in pink and white. Price 50c

Cotton Drawers

Drawers of strong quality cotton, neat hemstitched frill. Special 50c

Apron Special

Band Aprons of strong durable print, in neat checks and stripes; also sewing aprons of unbleached cotton, pocket of bright colored hints and piped in attractive colors. Special, 50c

Women's Linen Handkerchiefs

With hemstitched borders; 20c each. Special Wednesday morning, 3 for 50c

Women's Belts

In suede and patent leathers, all sizes and widths, in assorted colors. Special Wednesday morning, each 50c

Nottingham Lace

In narrow widths, suitable for trimming purposes. A good assortment of patterns to choose from. Special Wednesday morning, per doz. yards, 50c

For Fishermen

Selection of Trout Flies. Special, per doz. 50c
1 Yard Double Gut Leads, per doz. 50c
Devon Minnows, assorted sizes, value to 95c. Special 50c
—Lower Main Floor

Misses' Sport Frocks At \$5.95

Smart, Serviceable Frocks, made from good quality homespun, in a neat-fitting style, featuring straight lines with Peter Pan and cape collars, short sleeves with cuffs, patch pockets and narrow belt; colors sand, orchid, bittersweet, rose, Paddy and China \$5.95
—Second Floor

Sport Skirts—\$7.95

An unusually fine assortment of Women's and Misses' Sport Skirts, smart pleated and tailored models in fancy checks and stripes, showing the newest color combinations of brown and sand, navy and sand, grey and purple, grey and green and many others. Skirts suitable for golf, walking and tennis. \$7.95
Waist 26 to 32 \$7.95

Sport Coats—\$12.95

These are smartly tailored Sport Coats in Raglan style, trench back, trimmed pin tucks and narrow belts, with novelty pockets, two-way collar, in good quality of blanket and velour cloth, in colors of blue, green, sand and bisque checks. Coats suitable for all kinds of sport wear and will give good service. \$12.95
Sizes 16, 18 and 20 \$12.95

Two Rousing Values in Black Silks and Satins

800 yards Black Silks and Satins of a splendid Swiss make, woven from pure silk yarns, ensuring excellent wear:

35-Inch Black Paillette Silk, \$1.69
per yard \$1.69
36-Inch Black Duchesse Satins, \$1.98
per yard \$1.98

Odd White Wool Blankets

At Prices Which Mean a Saving to You
Now the holiday season is here you may want to replenish your Blanket supply and still not want to go to the expense of buying a pair. You can choose from this collection of odd Blankets in Scotch and English makes and save.

Size 64 x 84 \$3.75
Size 68 x 84 \$3.95
Size 68 x 86 \$4.50
Size 68 x 86 \$4.95
Size 72 x 90 \$4.95
Size 72 x 90 \$6.95

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Fine Snow White Underwear Cottons
25c Value, 11c Per Yard

Only sufficient quantity for about 4 hours selling so be here Wednesday morning. 25c value, per yard 11c

Remnants of Curtain Fabrics

Half Price

The largest lot of Curtain Remnants we have yet offered. Included are Cretonnes, Velours, Shadow Cloths, Nets, Voiles, Scrims and Madras. All in good useful lengths. Special Wednesday morning—

HALF PRICE

—Third Floor

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Unbleached Cottons

800 yards Unbleached Cottons in a weight suitable for many purposes. Free from filling. Wednesday morning, \$1.00
5 yards for \$1.00
—Main Floor

Sateen Underskirts

Of good quality English sateen with narrow accordion-pleated frill and elastic fitted at waist band; choice of Saxe, rose, henna and Paddy. Wednesday morning Special, \$1.00
—Second Floor

English Sateen Bloomers

Misses' Sateen Bloomers with wide gusset, elastic at waist and knee; choice of flesh, Saxe, rose, mauve and navy. Wednesday Morning Special, \$1.00
per pair \$1.00
—Second Floor

A Special In Corsets

Corsets of good strong quality coutil, semi-elastic top, others with medium bust line; pink or white; sizes 20 to 26. Wednesday Morning Special, \$1.00
per pair \$1.00
—Second Floor

Women's Linen Handkerchiefs

Of extra fine quality Irish linen, with hemstitched border and initials. Special Wednesday morning, 3 for \$1.00

Women's Neckwear

Consisting of Collars, Collar and Cuff Sets, in round and tuxedo shapes, made from lace, linen, silk and net. Values to \$2.00. Special Wednesday morning, \$1.00

Women's Silk Gloves

With double finger tips, of good quality silk, with self points and 2-dome fastener in ponce, mode, brown, grey, mastic, black and white. Sizes 5 1/2 to 7 1/2. Special Wednesday Morning, \$1.00
per pair \$1.00

Children's Black Canvas Lace Boots

Ideal shoes for the beach or playground. Strong rubber soles and spring heels. Sizes 4 to 10 1/2. Wednesday Morning \$1.00
Special, per pair \$1.00
—Main Floor

Misses' White Sandals

White Duck Strap Sandals with white rubber soles and spring heels. Sizes 11 to 1 1/2. Wednesday Morning Special, \$1.00
per pair \$1.00
—Main Floor

House Dresses

House Dresses of strong quality unbleached cotton, trimmed with neat check gingham; round neck, kimono sleeves, all round belt and two large pockets. Skirt gathered at sides. Very Special \$1.00
Wednesday Morning, \$1.00
—Second Floor

Men's Heather Mixture Hose

English manufactured Heather Mixture Hose, in seven different shades. All pure wool. Seamless style that will give the best of long wear. All sizes, per pair \$1.00
Price, per pair \$1.00

Boys' Fancy Colored Felt Hats

Just the hat for picnics. Fine felt in fancy colored patterns, to fit boys 8 to 16 years. \$1.00
Price \$1.00

Women's Knit Cotton Combinations

Medium weight with opera top and close-fitting knee. Value \$2.50. Wednesday Morning Special \$2.00
—Second Floor

Cotton Crepe Kimonos

Superior quality cotton crepe. Japanese style, with large wing sleeves; front, back and sleeves smartly embroidered in attractive colors; come in shades of rose, Copenhagen and sky. Wednesday morning reduced \$2.00
to \$2.00
—Second Floor

Women's Leather Handbags

Silk lined and fitted with mirror and change purse, and having strong leather handles; also black patent leather vanity boxes. Values \$2.75. Special Wednesday morning, \$2.00
each \$2.00

Moth Bag Special

A strongly made moth-proof, dust-proof bag, \$2.50 value for \$2.00
—Main Floor

For Wedding Gifts

7 and 8-inch Brass Jardiniere, with feet. \$2.00
Dainty Cut Glass Bud Vases \$2.00
—Lower Main Floor

Galvanized Tubs

Large size No. 3 Rustproof Galvanized Tubs, polished wood grip drop handles, with side rest for wringers. Wednesday Morning Special, \$2.00
—Lower Main Floor

Combination Special

150 feet of Galvanized Clothes Line, one Clothes Line Tightener and three dozen Spring Clothes pins. Wednesday Morning Special \$2.00
—Lower Main Floor

Boys' Tweed Bloomers

Fancy grey and green mixture herringbone tweed bloomers, lined, belt loops, patent Governor fasteners. Sizes 8 to 17. Price, per pair, \$2.00

Men's Straw Boaters

THE TIMES DAILY PICTURE PAGE



JERITZA SAYS GOOD-BYE—The most-talked-of soprano of the Metropolitan Opera Company, Marie Jeritza, sailing from New York to Europe for the summer.



RIVALS VENUS—Miss Ellen Kamerly, 2, East Northport, N. Y., is said by noted artists to be the only possessor of the perfect profile of pure ancient Grecian type. She has light hair, blue eyes and a pink and white complexion.



LEFT TO RIGHT, ABOVE: BETTY FRANCISCO, KATHLEEN KEY, HELEN LYNCH; BELOW, PAULINE GARON, JOBYNA RALSTON, MARGARET LEAHY.

ETHEL SHANNON

LEFT TO RIGHT, ABOVE: EVELYN BRENT, DOROTHY DEVORE, LAURA LA PLANTE; BELOW, VIRGINIA BROWNE FAIRE, ELEANOR BOARDMAN, DERELYS PERDUE.

WATCH FOR THESE BEAUTIES ON SILVER SCREEN! THEY'RE BABY STARS OF THE MOVIES FOR 1923



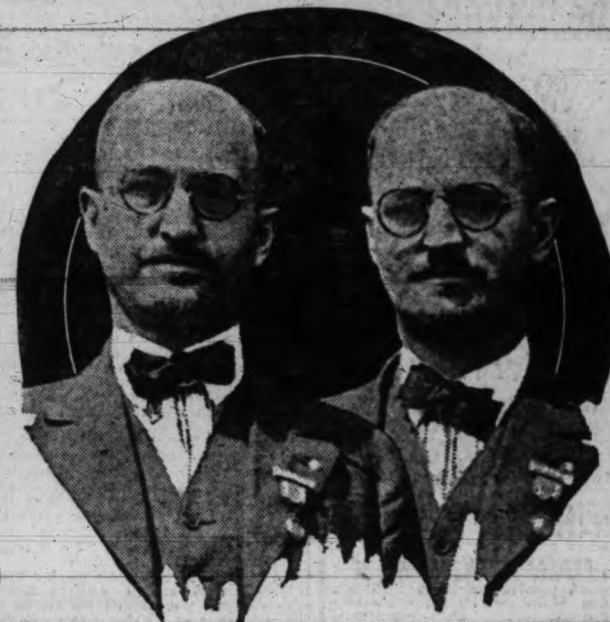
MATHILDE AND HER MAX—After evading newspaper photographers for a long time, John D. Rockefeller's granddaughter, the former Mathilde McCormick, now Mrs. Max Oser, and her husband, the Swiss riding stable attendant, relented while on their honeymoon tour of south England and posed for this photo, the only one ever taken of them together.



HER TOM-TOM—"Nacoomes," meaning "hand full of flowers," is a real Indian princess, daughter of Chief Tahan of the Kiowa tribe of Oklahoma. She's a talented violinist and toured all large western cities before taking up her residence at the capital.



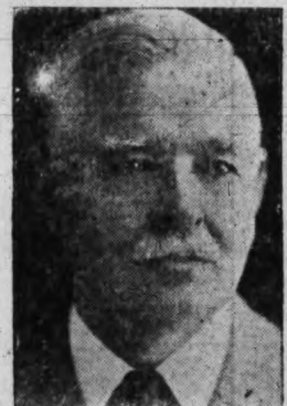
TWO WITHDRAW FROM POLITICAL ARENA—Col. T. H. Lennox, K. C. (left), Conservative member for North York, and Brig.-Gen. D. M. Hogarth (right), Conservative member for Port Arthur, have announced that they will not stand for re-election to the Ontario legislature.



QUESTION MARKS—Drs. W. C. and W. H. Tuckerman, twins of Cleveland, confuse even patients by their almost identical appearance. They practice together and in order to identify themselves for delegates at a recent Ohio State Medical Association convention, Dr. W. C. (left) fixed his tie so that the left end pointed over his left shoulder and Dr. W. H. did just the opposite.



SMOKING RUINS WHERE SCHOOL VICTIMS DIED IN FIRE—First picture taken at the scene of the Cleveland, South Carolina, schoolhouse fire tragedy after bodies of 76 persons had been taken from the smoldering debris. Complete destruction of the schoolhouse is shown, only a few piles of bricks remaining. An oil lamp on the stage in the auditorium started the fire during the production of a school play. Many persons were killed leaping from windows when the stairs collapsed in the rush. Several fathers were burned to death trying to reach their children trapped in the burning building.



R. J. FLEMING, ex-mayor of Toronto, has been appointed president of the Ontario branch of the Dominion Alliance.



NEAR SCENE OF TROUBLE—This shows the station at Tientsin, rail center of China. A detachment of American troops is lined up, just as they soon may be lined up to start in pursuit of bandits who kidnapped Americans. The train shown here is the same sort in which the kidnapped tourists were riding.



BOY MOURNER WITH HIS SHROUDED DEAD—Sheeted bodies of his father, mother and two sisters lay about Thompson Davis, 17-year-old Cleveland, S. C. boy, as he sat under a tree in the cemetery. His two dead sisters were 12 and 14, and the orphaned youth, who was not in the school when the fire disaster occurred, is left with a 9-months-old brother and three small sisters, two, five and six years old. Most of the bodies were buried in one big community grave measuring 40 feet.

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W.H. WESTERN-PRIVATE DETECTIVE AGENCY, 12-13 Board of Trade Bldg., Victoria, B.C. Day and night. Phone 519, 4518.

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FRASER, DR. W. F., 291-2 St. Roberts, Phone 1294, office, 9, 20 to 6 p.m.
DR. J. P. SHUTE, Dentist, Office, No. 302 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 1157, 40

MATERNITY HOME
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MISS LEONARD'S MATERNITY HOME, 1547 Fernwood Road, Phone 2564, Terms moderate.

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TO CLOSE AN ESTATE.
Sealed tenders invited by the undersigned until Wednesday, 30th inst., for purchase of 4-roomed house, greenhouses, good lot, McCaskill Street, Victoria West. Cash offers only. Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Further particulars.
CAVE & SAUNDERS,
Trustees and Executors, 1062 Langley St.

VICTORIA CITY ELECTORAL DISTRICT.
Notice is hereby given that I shall, on Monday, the 18th day of June, 1923, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, Bastion Square, in the City of Victoria, hold a Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing and determining any and all objections to the placing or retention of any name or names on the Register of Voters for the Victoria City Electoral District.
Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 10th day of May, 1923.
GEO. H. MASON,
Registrar of Voters for the Victoria City Electoral District.

ESQUIMALT ELECTORAL DISTRICT.
Notice is hereby given that I shall, on Monday, the 18th day of June, 1923, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, Bastion Square, in the City of Victoria, hold a Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing and determining any and all objections to the placing or retention of any name or names on the Register of Voters for the Esquimalt Electoral District.
Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 10th day of May, 1923.
GEO. H. MASON,
Registrar of Voters for the Esquimalt Electoral District.

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SIX ROOMS, HIGH GROUND, GOOD SURROUNDINGS.

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1112 Broad Street. Phone 1076

\$228,369 FOR RAILWAY BOARD
Vote By Commons; Chairman Carvell Subject of Discussion

Ottawa, May 28.—A vote of \$228,369 for the maintenance and operation of the Board of Railway Commissioners was approved by the Commons last night.

G. C. Coote, Progressive, Macleod, Alberta, said Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture, had made an election promise that he would move for the removal of Hon. F. B. Carvell as chairman of the Board of Railway Commissioners, and Mr. Coote added that he would make a statement in the House, but had not done so. Premier King had also said, added Mr. Coote, that the Minister of Agriculture had made to the Government certain representations with regard to such a removal, and that the matter was under consideration.

Hon. G. P. Graham, Minister of Railways, replied that the chairman of the Railway Commission could not be removed except by vote of the House. It was not in the power of the Government to remove Mr. Carvell, even if it wished to do so. "As far as I am concerned, it does not wish," added Mr. Graham.

"The Government has arrived at no decision to ask for the retirement of the present Board of Railway Commissioners," replied Mr. Graham, in answer to another question.

If Mr. Coote wished, he could move for the retirement of Mr. Carvell. It was a matter for Parliament, not for the Government.

Mr. Coote concluded with a question whether the West should not be asked to contribute on the Railway Commission.

Mr. Graham said he understood Dr. J. G. Rutherford had been appointed to another question. "I represent the West."

He was willing to admit that the Commission might have made mistakes, but as a whole it had done well. "The country could not expect to have railway rates as low as they were before the war. Living conditions would never revert to the pre-war standard, and he did not think they should."

Mr. Coote said he understood that Dr. Rutherford represented the Canadian Pacific Railway rather than the Western Canada. He was an employee of the Canadian Pacific Railway when he was appointed.

Right Hon. Arthur Meighen said the Minister of Agriculture had pledged himself to get rid of the chairman of the Railway Commission. He said this pledge was under consideration. Till the Government was ready to advise the House of Mr. Carvell's removal, it had no right to hold a sword over his head. The people of Western Canada had been led to believe that Mr. Carvell was prejudiced, but that was due to the attitude of the Liberals. Personally Mr. Meighen had confidence in both Mr. Carvell and Dr. Rutherford in their desire to do justice to the whole country.

Rates across the border, he said, were higher on farm products than in Canada, and they were higher also in proportion to the value of those farm products. That did not, however, relieve Canada from facing the fact that farms could not be made to pay the cost of carrying goods to market was brought nearer in accordance with the value of the goods themselves. The high freight rates could not be wiped out over-coming the stroke of a pen, and could they have been so changed it would have been disastrous for this country.

Urges Readjustment.
Mr. N. Campbell, Progressive, Macleod, Sask., said there was discrimination in freight rates. Some commodities were carried at a loss and farm products had to make up

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the deficit. He did not believe the Railway Commission should be abolished, but rather that it should have power to control revision downward. Mr. Campbell believed the discrimination now existing should be removed.

The old lady took one of Angela's school tales from the hands of her great-niece, looked at it, and then returned it. "My dear, you ought to read some of the books I used to read when I was a girl. 'Pilgrim's Progress,' for instance. I'm sure you would like that, especially the part where Pilgrim meets a dear little foreign boy named Man Friday. It is very interesting, I assure you."

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handful of cavalry without firing its guns.
Bonaparte Appears.
For some time the French thrust toward Italy was hung up, and it was only in 1796 that a new general, Napoleon Bonaparte, led the ragged and hungry republican armies in triumph across Piedmont to Mantua and Verona. An outline of history cannot map out campaign, but of the new quality that had come into war, it is bound to take note.

Marat had urged this trial relentlessly, yet with that clearness of his he would not have the king charged with any offence committed before he signed the constitution, because in the blood that is not a product of the mind but of the body.

King Guillotined.
Louis was beheaded in January, 1793. He was guillotined for since the previous August guillotines had been in use as the official instrument in French executions.

Danton, in his heroic role, was very firm upon this occasion. The kings of Europe would challenge us, he roared. "We throw them the head of a king!"

He did not follow a strange phase in the history of the French people. There arose a great flame of enthusiasm for France and the republic. There was to be an end to compromise, and all revolutionary armies, tents and full rations and chicanes. The first represented the decision-compelling spirit, the second the spirit of risk little to gain a little.

And while these ragged hosts of enthusiasts were chanting the Marseillaise and fighting for La France, the Jacobins were busy in the minds whether they were looting or liberating the countries into which they poured, the republican enthusiasm in France was spending itself in a far less glorious fashion.

Marat, the one man of commanding intelligence among the Jacobins, was now frantic with an incurable disease, and presently he was murdered; Danton was a series of patriotic thunderstorms; the steadfast fanaticism of Robespierre dominated the situation.

Robespierre Dominates.
This man is difficult to judge; he was a man of poor physique, naturally timid, and that he had that most necessary gift for power, faith. He believed not in a god familiar to men, but in a certain Supreme Being, and that Rousseau was his prophet. He set himself to save the republic as he conceived it, and he imagined it could be saved by no other means than by the use of power was to save the republic. The living spirit of the republic, it seemed, had sprung from a slaughter of royalists and the execution of the king. There were insurrections, one in the west, in the district of La Vendee, where the people rose against the conscription and against the disposition of the orthodox clergy, and were led by noblemen and priests; one in the south, where Lyons and Marseilles had risen and the royalists of the day had admitted an English and Spanish garrison. To which there seemed no more effectual reply than to go on killing royalists.

Guillotine Slaughter.
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PRESENCE OF MIND
Pat and Mike were working on a new building. Pat was laying bricks and Mike was carrying the hod. Mike had just come up to the fourth floor when the dinner whistle blew. His lunch was on the ground.

"I have to walk down after it," he said.
"Take hold of this rope," said Pat, "and I'll let you down."
Pat let him down half-way and then let go of the rope. Mike landed in the mortar and did not hurt but terribly scared.
"And why did ye drop the rope?" he demanded.
"I thought it was going to break," said Pat, "and I had the presence of mind enough to let go."

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the fierce heart of the Paris slums. The revolutionary tribunal went to work, and a steady slaughtering began. The invention of the guillotine was opportune to this mood. The queen was guillotined, most of Robespierre's antagonists were guillotined, and the guillotine was used day by day, week by week, this infernal new machine chopped off heads and more heads and more. The reign of Robespierre lived, it seemed, on blood, and needed more and more, as an opium taker needs more and more opium.

Danton was still Danton, leonine and exemplary upon the guillotine. "Danton," he said, "no weakness!" And the grotesque thing about the story is that Robespierre was indulgent. He was far more honest than any of the group of men who succeeded him. He was inspired by a consuming passion for a new order of human life. So far as he could contrive it, the committee of public safety, the emergency government of twelve which had now thrust aside the convention, constructed the scale on which it sought to construct was stupendous. All the intricate problems with which we still struggle to-day were met by swift and shallow solutions.

Attempts at Justice.
Attempts were made to equalize property. "Opulence," said St. Just, "is infamous. The property of the rich was taxed or confiscated in order that it should be divided among the poor. Every man was to have a second home, a living, a wife and children. The laborer was worthy of his hire, but not entitled to an advantage."

There was an attempt to abolish profit altogether, the rude incentive of most human commerce since the beginning of society. Profit is the economic riddle that still puzzles us to-day. There were harsh laws against "profiteering" in France in 1793-England in 1919 found it necessary to make quite similar laws. And the Jacobin government not only replanned in eloquent outline—the economic, but also the social system. Divorce was made as easy as marriage; the distinction of legitimate and illegitimate children was abolished. * * * A new calendar was devised, with new names for the months, a week of ten days and the like, that has long since been swept away, but also the clumsy coinage and the tangled weights and measures of old France gave place to the simple and lucid decimal system that still endures.

There was a proposal from one extremist group to abolish God among other institutions altogether, and to substitute the worship of reason. There was, indeed, a feast of reason in the cathedral of Notre-Dame, with the jury acting as the goddesses of reason. But against this Robespierre set his face; he was no atheist. "Atheism," he said, "is aristocratic. The idea of a Supreme Being was a watchword over oppressed innocence and punishes triumphant crime; it is essentially the idea of the people."

So he guillotined Hebert, who had celebrated the feast of reason, and all his party.

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"Well," answered the lad, "I don't think ten shillings more a week would be too much."
"You are a small boy to be earning twenty-five shillings a week," "I suppose I am," he replied.
"I know I'm small for my age, but to tell the truth, since I've worked here I've been so busy I haven't had time to grow."

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Now it was not an easy task for the goddess to decide, for she loved all of her subjects and she would have liked to have them all hold the place of honor. But, of course, that could not be.

So one night before the ball she sent for all of her subjects to be present at a meeting to be held by the roadside that she might try to choose from among them a page to be her attendant the night of the grand floral ball.

Of course, all the flowers, big and small, garden and field as well, wanted this honor, and long before it was time for the meeting they were never truer to their name than on that night, when they were really quite rude to the other flowers as they pushed their way to the very front seats.

Stately lily thought it beneath her dignity to hurry, and as she was so tall the queen would be certain to notice her, she thought. "Besides," she told the red rose as they came to the meeting place, "Queen Flora could hardly overlook me, stately bearing. I am sure the one that attends her highness should have dignity."

"But a page does not need to be tall," said the rose. "All that is needed is beauty, and that you must admit, my dear. I have. Goddess Flora cannot overlook me, I am certain."

"Whatever are you two talking about?" asked a poppy, awakening from a sound sleep. "You have disturbed my nap. The Queen has not yet arrived and here I am wide awake."

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The other garden flowers did not bother to get there so early, for they knew that if one of them were chosen it would be either the rose or lily, but the field flowers scattered themselves at the very feet of the goddess, and she sat modestly at one side and did not push or try to get near her queen.

Then came he Goddess Flora with her long robes trailing over the grass and her hair caught up at the sides with tiny flowers, while in her arms she carried a bouquet of all the flowers that grow.

With loving eyes she looked over her subjects. They were all so beautiful, she told them, that it was very hard to choose.

"My page I should like to be small and dainty to look upon," she said, "bright-eyed and trimly dressed as well. It must not be one that is particularly about the season in which to bloom and in rain or shine it must look happy. I would not have one that is proud. My page must be willing to grow in any place and look beautiful always. It must come

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"I was coming out on the Royal Mary . . ."
"That is what we were advised," said the officer, "but the ship was never to have arrived at all but for the gallantry of Captain Blood, who rescued me."

"I must return to Colonel Bishop for my orders," he informed them. At that moment a lane was opened in the ranks of the men, and through this came Miss Bishop followed by her octoron woman. Over his shoulder Captain Blood observed her approach.

"Perhaps, since Colonel Bishop is with you, you will convey his niece to him. Miss Bishop was aboard the Royal Mary also, and I rescued her together with her lordship." S swept this from surprise to surprise, Captain Calverley could do no more than bow again.

"I am sure that Lord Julian, with intent to make Miss Bishop's departure free from all interference on the part of the buccaniers, I shall remain aboard the Arabella until we reach Port Royal. My compliments to Colonel Bishop. Say that I look forward to making his acquaintance there."

In the great harbor of Port Royal, the Arabella rode at anchor. Abeam with the Arabella, across the harbor, were the flat-fronted buildings of the imposing city, and that came down to the very water's edge.

On a cane day-bed that had been set for him on the quarter-deck, sheltered from the dazing, blistering sunshine by an improvised awning of brown sailcloth, lounged Peter Blood, a calf-boned, well-thumbed copy of Horace's Odes neglected in his hands.

"Things had not sped at all well with him in the past fortnight since his acceptance of the King's commission. As Blood and Lord Julian had stepped ashore together, they had been met by Bishop, who took no pains to dissemble his chagrin at the turn of events and his determination to change it.

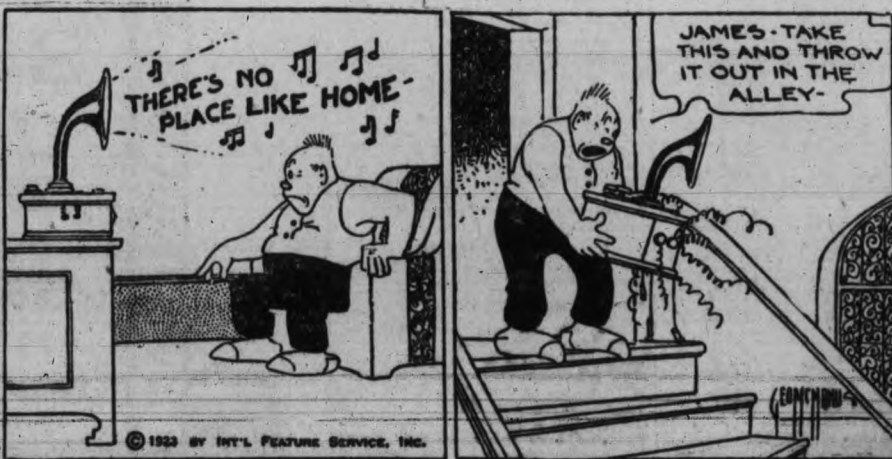
"You are Lord Julian Wade, I understand," was his truculent greeting. "For Blood at the moment he was nothing but a malignant glancer."

"You have granted, I am told, the King's commission to this man." His very tone betrayed the bitterness of his rancor. "Your motives were no doubt worthy . . . your gratitude to me for delivering you from the Sunderslands. But the thing itself is unthinkable, my lord. The commission must be cancelled."

"I see, sir," said Lord Julian, "that you do not yet quite apprehend the circumstances. If it is a mistake to grant Captain Blood a commission, the mistake is not mine. I am acting upon the instructions of my Lord Sunderland. But the thing itself is unthinkable, my lord. The commission must be cancelled."

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Incinerator Will Cost \$2,444; Inspector Appointed

Pension Board's Action Criticized; Council Supports Veterans

Oak Bay is to have an incinerator. This was decided upon at last night's Council meeting when the Municipal Engineer laid his estimates before the meeting and the Provincial Health Officer stressed the need of some means by which the garbage, now being dumped in the pit near the Monterey School, could be done away with.

After some discussion as to plans and cost of an incinerator the Council instructed the engineer to proceed with the construction and refer all finances to the Finance Committee. The cost of erection was estimated by the engineer at \$2,444 and the cost of operating gauged by the amount of non-combustible matter that could be kept separate. A man's time, he said, and the necessary fuel would amount to \$1.00 per day.

The incinerator will have a capacity of 42 cubic yards or three ordinary dump cart loads. In 1922, 11.45 cubic yards were collected per day. In

connection with the disposal of ashes 14,000 cubic yards of filling on the dumping ground is required before the level of the street is reached.

Inspector Appointed.
The municipal health officer was appointed as inspector under the Milk Regulation By-law, 1923. The final passing of the Property Disposal By-law was amongst other business taken up.

The invitation extended to the Oak Bay Council by the Jubilee Hospital nurses, inviting the Reeve and Councilors to attend their graduation exercises, was accepted.

Pension Discussed.
Councillor Moore was of the opinion that a great injustice was being done to the returned men, who had given their lives for services overseas, by the Pension Board, who in his opinion, endeavored to find as many pension cases as they could refuse rather than provide for the disabled men. The Council, after reading resolutions from various returned soldiers' organizations, unanimously passed the resolution suggested by Councillor Moore that the Oak Bay Council express strong sympathy for the returned soldiers by the Pension Board. Reeve Hewlett and Councillor Moore will attend the meeting at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium to-night and hand in the resolution.

SAANICH IS UP IN ARMS OVER WATER METER ISSUE

Water Users of Inner Wards Denounce Proposals as Outrage

Tillamook School was last night well filled with an attendance of Saanich residents affected by the proposed institution of water meter rentals, who unanimously adopted resolutions of protest against any increase in any form, on existing charges for water.

Councillor Francis Simpson, of Ward Seven, explained the proposed new waterworks by-law, wherein provision for meter rentals is made. He considered that any shortage in revenue, appearing in the waterworks balance, should be made good at the point of shortage, which he was confident could not be found in Ward Seven, where small residences were the major consumers, notably the most profitable business possible to a water distributing system.

Too Cheap to Some.
Mr. Simpson objected to the inclusion of seven cent net rates to consumers of above 19,000 gallons monthly, believing ten cents should be the limit.

"My idea is the seller of any commodity should provide the means of measuring the commodity sold. When I see the municipality selling water costing eighteen cents for \$1.50 I can but say the margin is sufficient," he said, in opposing the proposal to collect rentals, from 25 cents upwards per connection each month.

The councillor recalled that Reeve Watson had, last year, stated the installation of meters had cut consumption one half, by discouraging waste, and he therefore considered the installation of meters was paying for itself. He was glad the meters had been installed.

Mr. Simpson declared he could see no reason for the introduction by the Reeve of the proposed consolidating by-law at this time, and had asked for the meeting to discover the sentiment of the ratepayers and water users.

Monthly rentals proposed are as follows: Half inch, 25 cents; 3/4 inch, 40 cents; 1 inch, 50 cents; 1 1/2 inch, \$1.75; 2 inch, \$2; 3 inch, \$4; 4 inch, \$6; 6 inch, \$14.

Big Improvement.
Councillor Macnicol stated that in 1922 water revenues for January to April averaged \$2,000 monthly from 1945 consumers, while in 1923 this income had jumped to \$3,750 from 2,117 services.

In the same periods the average monthly water charges paid Victoria were \$814 in 1922 and reduced to \$521 in 1923. He stressed the cumulative saving shown, that in the four months income had increased from \$7,780 to \$8,467, while cost of water had fallen in the same period from \$3,258 to \$2,082.

"This shows a possible saving of \$12,000 yearly, and there is the cost of your meters, I oppose saddling this distributive investment on the water user," he said.

"In fairness to Reeve Watson, I think it should be understood that his bringing in this by-law is the ordinary practice. The by-law does not necessarily originate with him," said Councillor Macnicol.

Illegality Alleged.
Ex-Councillor Pointer asserted meter charges to be illegal, referring to the experience of Victoria in losing a test case law suit on this matter some years ago. He considered the rural districts were benefitting by water services made possible by the inner ward existing services, and objected to the additional charge for meters as discrimination favoring rural residents.

J. W. Waters suggested a motion of opposition be sent the Council, to forestall action by prompt protest.

J. Patterson recalled that, at the last election Reeve Watson had been asked his stand upon meter charges, and had replied that while he had earlier favored a charge, inquiry had convinced him a charge was not requisite. "If that was his stand, and what has brought about his volte face?" asked Mr. Patterson when a chorus asked for presentation of the case for charging rentals.

W. Taylor praised the Council for installing meters, pointed out that Saanich had greatly profited by termination of waste, but considered unfair any attempt to saddle the cost of this economy upon the payers of household water bills.

Ask For Reasons.
Mr. Waters then moved, "that this meeting opposes institution of any raise in water charges or meter rentals until the Reeve and Council have shown the necessity for increase." This passed unanimously.

Mr. Waters then secured unanimous support for circulation of a petition of protest throughout the water area of Saanich.

A similar meeting of protest has been called by the Ward Two Ratepayers' Association, to be held in Tolmie School on Friday evening.

OAK BAY TO EXTEND D.C.E.R. AGREEMENT

Municipality Will Pay Part Cost; Municipal Union Report Received

It was moved by Councillor Hayward, of the Oak Bay Council, last night, that the Council recommend the extension of the present agreement with the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, Limited, regarding street lighting covering a period of ten years to another five years. The resolution was passed and the municipality will pay 15 per cent of the cost.

The report of the Union of B. C. Municipalities was discussed and a resolution passed asking that set fees be established instead of the indefinite ones which are at present in vogue. The resolution will be referred to the finance committee of the Union with power to act.

The President of the Union of Municipalities, C. F. McHardy, in commenting on the work done during the past year, states, in his report: "It is quite apparent on the face of the Parliamentary Agent's Report and with particular reference to the last two pages thereof, that the work of the Union has been particularly successful. It also is apparent that the work is by no means complete. The ever increasing costs of schools demands that some extension of the basis of taxation must be made, in order that the finances of the various municipalities may not be swamped together, and confiscation be not made of the property of the land owners of the municipalities."

"The Edmonton City Council are calling on the Union and various large city municipalities to hold a meeting to discuss taxation matters, and the Union of the Municipalities of the four western provinces are meeting in Winnipeg in July, and the main object of this association has to do with the same problem, namely, relief from the ever increasing costs of schools as the school population grows. It is highly important it seems to me, that the Union should be strongly represented at both these gatherings."

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